

IN COVER UP PLOT TO GET OIL PROPERTY IN MEXICO.

Reduction of Living Costs is Squared up to Congress.

DEMAND IS EMPHATIC.

Railroad Workers in Grim Threat.

Wages Must go up or Prices Come Down, is Their Declaration.

Tell the President that if Relief is Not Given it will be "Hell."

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

WASHINGTON, July 31.—The reduction of the high cost of living has been put up to the Republican Congress and if there is to be an amelioration of the present conditions, which union-labor leaders say will eventually bring "hell to America" it will have to be done by this Republican Congress. Democratic officials, from the President down, can suggest and urge and investigate and advise, but action rests with the party now in the majority in Congress.

The crisis is here. When the officials of the two powerful unions of railway men put the question up to the President today they did not mince matters. They told Mr. Wilson that the time had come for action if conditions in this country are not to rival those in Europe. They said that either wages must come up or prices come down. They told him that the wage earners are restless; that it will take but little more to start something that will be hard to stop. They set a time limit on their own endurance. Action must be had by October 1. That these union leaders realize that the President is powerless to aid without Congress acting was

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IT COMES TO TREATY

Seven Republicans Seek Middle Path.

Hope to Adopt Plan for the Ratification of League of Nations.

Definite Reservation Group may Attract Sufficient Favorable Votes.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Development shaped today for a sharper definition of the Senate issues raised by the League of Nations and the Shantung agreement, while another and hitherto obscure section of the Versailles treaty relating to alien enemy property was brought under fire in the Foreign Relations Committee.

To the league controversy seven Republican Senators, all friendly to the treaty, added a new feature by reading the particular article to reservations, whose wording they hope will furnish a middle ground attracting enough members of both parties to insure the league's acceptance by the Senate.

Regarding Shantung it became known that in the very near future a declaration throwing light on Japan's intentions is definitely counted on by administration Senators. It may come, it is said, from Tokyo, but falling that, from the White House.

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Who's Going to Put the Cat Out?



CUMMINGS TESTIFIES MERRILY.

Democratic Chairman, Flippant and Clever, Patronizes Airplane Junket Investigators, Calling Chairman "My Good Fellow."

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Homer S. Cummings, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, called before the House subcommittee investigating aircraft expenditures to testify under oath tonight what he had permitted the publicity bureau of his organization to brand a proposed committee trip to the Pacific Coast as a "junket," took full responsibility for the statement, and declared it was not a circumstance to what would come later.

From the moment he entered the committee room and introduced himself to the members demanding the explanation until he went away, Mr. Cummings was continually smiling, while Chairman Frear pounded the table with great heat and stopped the proceedings to have certain replies stricken from the record. With mock courtesy Mr. Cummings, turning to the chairman and addressing him as "My good fellow," said that he knew before he arrived that he would be unable to satisfy the Republicans. There were one or two sharp remarks from Chairman Frear to one of which the witness, lighting a cigar from another and still smiling, declared "My, wasn't that a delicate thrust?"

At the outset Mr. Cummings told the committee that while he had not read the particular article to which the Republicans took offense, he quite approved it, except that it was not vigorous enough. It was during this questioning that Chairman Frear told the stenographer not to permit certain statements to remain in the record, to which the witness replied that in a court of justice he would have more rights. What the chairman wanted to know especially was the basis for the charge that the subcommittee was a "junket" to start on a "junket."

Finally, after a sharp wrangle, Mr. Cummings said he understood the committee contemplated a western trip to look into spruce conditions relating to aviation, when all of this had been gone over by Charles E. Hughes.

SUBJECT IS THREADBARE.
"There have been other inquiries," the witness said, "and the whole subject has been canvassed until it is threadbare. Moreover, the taking up of a subject which is characterized by a committee which I submit is not friendly to the administration and not in a position to give an unbiased report, is a waste of time and public money, and in ordinary political parlance, a junket."

"Is it fair to this committee when it is ordered to make the trip to call it a junket?" Chairman Frear asked. "I think so," Mr. Cummings replied. "It is perfectly fair to spend money on a trip of this character when you ought to really send public accountants, and when there are so many other problems demanding the high cost of living."

"The Republican organization," the witness went on, "has indulged in plenty of slander directed at the President of the United States and you should be sportsman enough to stand mild criticisms. This isn't a marker to what's coming."

THREAT OF INVESTIGATION.
"If you do there will be an investigation by the House," the chairman interrupted. "Fine," the witness replied. "I have quite enjoyed myself this evening."

In commending the public service of Mr. Hughes, who conducted the aircraft inquiry, Mr. Cummings said the difference between Republican leaders in Congress and the President was that the President had selected for the inquiry a man of known integrity and the other was a purely political investigation.

Representative Magee, Republican of New York, asked Mr. Cummings for a yes or no answer bearing on the war investigation and the resultant sale of army food. "Why that's a trick question," the witness replied. "It's like asking a man if he has quit beating his wife."

RIVAL CONTENTIONS.
Chairman Frear contended that the Democrats were making a concerted attempt to discredit the inquiry while Mr. Cummings insisted that the Republicans in control of Congress were trying to criticize every single act of the administration during the war.

The committee chairman brought out that prior to 1916 the witness was a Republican. He told how he and Mr. Magee and Representative Lea, Democrat, of California, mem-

SALES ARE DISCUSSED.

American Firms Approached.

Carranza Giving Aid to the Orientals in an Effort to Get Fields.

"Denouncing" of Foreign Interests is Part of the Scheme.

(BY ARTHUR H. HENNING.)

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

WASHINGTON, July 31.—The State Department has been advised of efforts on the part of Japanese oil companies to acquire properties in the Tampico oil fields of Mexico and learn that American companies have been approached with a view to selling to the Japanese.

Officials say the situation is being closely watched and the close relations believed to exist between the Carranza government and the Japanese interests are being considered in connection with a report that actual purchases of properties have been made.

It is known that several properties of British and American oil companies have been "denounced" by Mexicans and it is suspected by British and American authorities that the Japanese may be making use of this means to secure possession of properties. Some American companies, it is stated, have admitted they would sell all their holdings in the Tampico region if the Japanese would pay the actual value of the properties.

Some of the American companies, it is said, had been ambitious to secure the Mexican oil for the United States but that for the protection of their stockholders they are now willing to sell if they can get a fair price for the properties. The murders of employees and the looting of the pay rolls, added to the frequent partial destruction of property, have so discouraged some of

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MEAT DEALERS PROFIT 100 PER CENT.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Figures showing that retail meat dealers in Washington are averaging 100 per cent. profit on all sales of meat were cited today before a Senate District of Columbia subcommittee investigating living costs in the District. E. A. Calvin, representing the cotton States official advisory market board, told the committee that while on July 1 retail dealers in Washington, according to figures of the Department of Agriculture, were paying from 18 to 19 cents a pound for dressed beef, they were disposing of the entire carcass at an average price of not less than 40 cents a pound. The witness said the same profits were being made today. The butcher or retail dealer, said Mr. Calvin, when selling at 100 per cent. profit, adds more to the cost

GRAIN MEN SEE NO REDUCTION IN PRICES.

CLAIM THAT CEREAL CROPS ARE ALL FALLING BELOW ADVANCED REPORTS.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

CHICAGO, July 31.—No material lowering in the high price of foodstuffs for another year at least is seen by the leading experts. Damage to the corn crop in the last three days has been so serious, according to reports, that the yield this year is likely to prove less than average domestic requirements of 2,500,000,000 bushels.

Heavy reductions in the yield of wheat in this country and Canada, as well as in oats, rye and barley, in connection with the prospective demands of Europe, is taken as indicating that all foodstuffs will rise in price as high as at present or go still higher.

Some months ago the United States guaranteed wheat price was about the highest in the world. Now this country is the lowest. In Buenos Aires, Argentina, where wheat was below \$1 per bushel a few months ago, it is now \$2.37-5, a gain of 3 1/2 cents from Saturday, making the cost in New York \$3.22-5-8.

The world's wheat price has been forced to readjust to a basis with this country. It is the history of the grain trade that the control of 10 per cent. of the crop would determine the price. The United States controls 25 per cent. of the total world's crop. Australian prices are a little below \$1.50 per bushel, but owing to scarcity of ocean tonnage, the wheat there is not readily available, and some of it is going to India, which has been suffering from famine. Japan has also bought wheat there.

WHEAT CROP IS SHORT.
Threats of Congressional action on the high cost of living, according to those who have analyzed conditions, fall flat when the world's situation is taken into account. The wheat crop, based on present threshing reports, indicates that the final yield for this country may fall to 1,000,000,000 bushels, and a few weeks place estimates lower. They figure the winter wheat at under 750,000,000 bushels, while the last government report made it 830,000,000 bushels.

Estimates on spring wheat, which were 32,000,000 bushels July 1, are being cut down by drought, rust, and one Minneapolis expert said today that one can believe for the bad reports on wheat, oats, rye and barley, and then some. Drought has done undetermined damage to corn and potatoes, the latter crop being nearly cut in half in some sections. The loss in corn is expected to be reflected in the price of hogs this fall and printer, while the burning up of pastures in the Central States, and the loss in Wyoming, Montana and North Dakota is forcing cattle to market at an unusual rate.

BULLETINS.

LONDON, July 31.—Royal assent was today given to the German peace treaty and to the Anglo-French treaty, which thus became law.

LISBON, Wednesday, July 30.—The strike on the Portuguese railroads is developing more serious incidents. Strikers today fired on the Campolide station in the suburbs of Lisbon, to which the troops on guard replied. Several of both sides were wounded.

OFFERS \$25,000,000 FOR COCA COLA COMPANY.

ATLANTA, July 31.—An option on the Atlanta Coca Cola Company, which, it carried through, would result in reorganization and enlargement of the concern, has been given to a syndicate represented by New York bankers. It was announced tonight by Howard C. Chandler, president of the company. The present stockholders would get \$15,000,000 in cash and \$10,000,000 in stock in the new company, the president of the company added.

BREST EMPLOYERS LOCK OUT WORKERS.

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
BREST, July 31.—All work at this port has ceased, the employers having declared a lock-out because of the demands of the Dockers' Union.

Investigators to Sail August 7.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)
WASHINGTON, July 31.—The House War Investigating Committee, inquiring into expenditures abroad, will sail for Europe, August 7, on the transport Mt. Vernon, it was announced today. Composing the committee are Representative Johnson, South Dakota; Blakely, Indiana; and Flood, Virginia.

CROIX DE GUERRE WORN AS EAR RING.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)
NEW YORK, July 31.—Mrs. Helen Wesche of Farmingdale, L. I., recently appeared on Park Row wearing for earrings two French war crosses, one of them bearing a palm. She got them from two of her husband's admirers, and started an innovation in the personal adornment line.

GOVERNMENT LISTS FOOD TO BE SOLD.

PRICES MUST BE FIXED BELOW CURRENT HIGH QUOTATIONS.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

WASHINGTON, July 31.—The following are some of the principal food commodities and the amount available which the War Department has decided to sell to the public, which are to be turned over for sale so that the public may benefit by normal prices.

Today Secretary Baker agreed to a plan whereby municipalities may requisition this food from the department and sell it to the public, paying for it within thirty days, the government to fix price below current high market prices.

Among the principal food products listed are 8,470,927 pounds of bacon, 5,208,885 cans of corn beef, 985 cans of corned beef, 60,470,452 pounds of frozen fresh beef, 12,511,882 one-pound cans of roast beef, 12,135,931 two-pound cans of roast beef, 1,190,471 six-pound cans of roast beef, 7,005,369 pounds of fresh pork, 2,915,293 pounds of fresh frozen pork, 1,477,596 pounds of ham, 35,541,689 pounds of corned beef frozen in cans, 332,000 pounds of frozen mutton, 3,390,246 one-pound cans of baked beans, 12,000 two-pound cans of baked beans, 1,751,150 pounds of hard bread, 3,549,113 eight-ounce cartons of hard bread, 32,557 pounds of butter, 44,150 pounds of dehydrated carrots, 18,266,408 two-pound cans of sweet corn, 1,492,129 pounds of white cornmeal, 5,762,435 pounds of yellow cornmeal, 8,234,689 pounds of wheat flour, 2,065,506 pounds of assorted Australian jams, 616,128 one-pound cans of evaporated milk, 1,696,915 pounds of oatmeal, 1,307,711 two-pound cans of peas, 2,345,767 pounds of dehydrated potatoes, 1,617,568 pounds of spaghetti, 1,224,000 pounds of salt, 16,835,328 pounds of granulated sugar, 700,000 pounds of syrup, 350,000 pounds of prunes, more than 100,000 pounds of raisins, 666,600 pounds of rice, 446,612 gallons of vinegar and many other pounds in large quantities, including candy, fruits, vegetables, substitute flours, etc.

CANADA LOWERS PRICES.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)
WINNIPEG, July 31.—Following the action yesterday of the Canadian government in determining to buy and market the entire Dominion wheat crop, the government has decided to take control of flour, grain exchange firms learned today from Ottawa agents. The government intends to establish a minimum price for flour and to buy and sell both commodities by similar arrangement. Members of grain companies believe the government's action will reduce cost of flour to consumers and less the way toward the general reduction in the cost of living.

THE DAY'S NEWS SUMMED UP

THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 5 p.m. southwest, velocity, 12 miles. Thermometer, highest, 76 deg.; lowest, 60 deg. Forecast: For Los Angeles and vicinity, Friday, fair, except cloudy or foggy near the coast in the morning. For complete weather data see last page of this section.

THE CITY. Secretary Daniels announced that the Pacific fleet will stay in Los Angeles waters ten days; Finance Committee asked for strong response to appeal for funds for entertainment.

All picketing was forbidden at the Los Angeles Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company's yard when the court enjoined the strikers.

Detectives who gathered evidence in a love-stray triangle told of a hair-pulling match between the wife of a teacher and one of his fair pupils held with him on a statutory charge.

City, county and health officials decided to ask the Council for an immediate clean-up of the City Jail and banishment of the code.

State Treasurer published figures showing that more than one-fourth of all the autos in California are owned in Los Angeles county.

South Hill street property, an Alvarado-street apartment-house and northern ranch lands figured in a \$1,000,000 realty deal.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Venice makes elaborate plans for dedication of aviation field Sunday. Labor union agitators ask for recall of Mayor at Bakersfield. Members of Presbyterian church to hold important conference at Occidental College. Question of salary raises for city employees creates grave condition at Pasadena.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Seattle asks Congress to check violations of

REDS LOSE STRATEGIC BASE

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
LONDON, July 31.—Gen. Denikin, the Russian commander, has gained an important victory over the Bolsheviks and captured the town of Kamishin, on the Volga. Five thousand Bolsheviks, mine guns and large quantities of material were also taken.

In making this announcement the War Office says that possession of Kamishin gives Gen. Denikin a firmer hold on the river and his main objective in the advance on Saratov, threatening the Bolshevik communications with Moscow.

Kamishin was entered by the anti-Bolshevik troops on July 30 and the fleeing enemy was pursued twelve miles beyond the town.

LONDON'S POLICE STRIKE.

(BY CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)
LONDON, July 31.—A sensation was created in the West End about 9:30 this evening by newsmen carrying posters announcing a great strike of London police and selling copies of special editions of the Daily Herald, the social labor organ.

The news came as a bombshell to the average Londoner, who thought the trouble in the metropolitan police had been settled by the new rates of pay recently granted by the government. The difficulty lies deeper than that, however. Part of the bill which the government is now putting through Parliament relates to questions of the policeman's union which is declared as inadmissible. The police union decided to call a strike of protest against the measure.

ure and issued strike orders tonight. The policemen's meeting at which the decision was taken was a secret one. There is even uncertainty whether the strike actually was called or whether the men merely agreed to join in the march of protest fixed for tomorrow. Scotland Yard was uncommunicative, but it was learned that no reports of tonight's staff not showing up for duty have been received. The exact position may not be known until morning when the day staff reports for duty. Several individual policemen questioned tonight in all cases declared themselves against the strike. It was suggested in newspaper circles that the Daily Herald had been led astray by anxiety to secure a scoop in order to buttress its none-a-robust fortunes.

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LLOYD GEORGE FACES DOWNFALL

(BY CABLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
LONDON, July 31.—The general industrial unrest in Great Britain, which has been seething ever since the armistice, seems at the present hour to have reached a point which menaces the commerce of the country with at least temporary disaster. It is considered possible that it may mean the downfall of the Lloyd George government.

The strikes of the past month have been serious enough, but they are merely symptomatic of an epidemic of dissatisfaction which appears to prevail throughout the ranks of organized labor. Half a million Lancashire cotton operatives were idle for more than three weeks. Two hundred thousand Yorkshire miners have been on strike since July 26. The Liverpool dockers have paralyzed shipping there for two weeks, holding up hundreds of ships of all sizes. The bakers have decided to strike on Saturday and now the London police are about to go out on their second strike.

The worst movement of all from the government standpoint is the threat of "direct action" by the

Triple Alliance of railway men, miners and transport workers. These powerful unions are taking a secret ballot to decide whether they shall use the weapon of a general strike to try to enforce their political programme of the nationalization of mines and railways, abolition of conscription and withdrawal from all participation in Russian affairs.

FRIDAY MORNING.

Government Machinery Sets to Work on Rail Profiteer.

REACH CRISIS IN PRICE AVIATION

Congress Must Lower Cost of Living, is Demand.

Railway Men Use Sinister Language to Wilson.

Predict Industrial War Unless Help Comes.

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plainly shown. The subject came up in Congress today, but the members had little to offer.

MACHINERY AT WORK.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Governmental machinery was set in motion today in response to demands from the public that some official action be taken to relieve the high cost of living.

Prices as they affect the average citizen assumed first place in the discussion in the Capitol. At the White House President Wilson was said to be giving "deep and very thoughtful consideration" to problems presented to him and the Railroad Administration by members of the railroad brotherhoods, who reported that prices would have to come down or wages go up if social unrest was not to develop into upheaval. In the Senate and House the situation gave rise to several resolutions to investigate the cause of existing price levels, another to reduce the volume of currency in circulation as a means of deflating prices, one to request the Attorney-General to stop speculation in foodstuffs, and another to prohibit the sale of wheat at market prices instead of at the government guarantee.

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KENYON WOULD CALL WORLD LABOR MEETING

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Senator Kenyon, Republican, Iowa, today introduced a joint resolution authorizing the President to call an international labor convention and appoint American delegates.

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An Old Fault Finder.

An irritable and fault-finding disposition is often caused by indigestion. A man with good digestion and bowels that act regularly is usually good natured. When troubled with indigestion or constipation take Chamberlain's Tablets. They strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. They also cause a gentle movement of the bowels.—Advertisement.

STOP PROFITEERING, LEE.

It developed today that demands for more wages were pending before the Railroad Administration from several hundred thousand employees. Perhaps the frankest talk which government officials have heard in a long time came in this connection, in the statement of W. G. Lee, president of the trainmen, before the wage and adjustment board.

Mr. Lee told the board that an increase in wages was not the proper solution of the present economic hardship under which workmen are laboring, because they would be followed by new increases in the cost of everything which would more than absorb the additional pay. Until all classes get together to stop profiteering," he said, the only thing for everyone to do is to get all the wages he can, a course which he declared would result eventually in precipitating the "upheaval" now starting the country in the face.

TO UTILIZE POSTOFFICE.

As a step toward breaking the high prices, plans are being made by Secretary Baker, Postmaster-General, to utilize the post office for the parcel post surplus through the parcel post surplus.

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"Raise Wages or We Strike Soon."



William G. Lee,

President of the Order of Railway Trainmen, who looks large in the Washington crisis over the high cost of living.

army food stocks valued at \$124,000,000.

Officials who attended the conference declined to discuss what took place. Mr. Palmer stated that the conference was called chiefly for the purpose of making a survey of the situation, developing any information on which the head of the nation's law-enforcement machinery might act to curb profiteering.

In response to questions, Mr. Palmer admitted that there was no law by which prices could be lowered directly, but he declined to say whether new legislation was needed to enable the department to punish men who may be guilty of profiteering.

"There is a great deal of good law on the statute books," the Attorney-General declared.

INFORMATION IS READY.

When a course of action is decided upon, the Federal Trade Commission is understood to be ready to supply the most extensive collection of industrial information ever gathered by any government. Production cost figures have been ordered by the commission on industries representing \$30,000,000,000 worth of activities during the war in advising the government what prices to pay for the millions of dollars of purchases made by it. For this reason, it is believed, the commission is ready to urge that further investigations which seem to be foreshadowed by resolutions pending in Congress would only muddle the situation, causing the loss of valuable time and the waste of the money involved.

It was said that the Attorney-General called the conference on

his own initiative and not at the suggestion of the President, with whom it was learned he conferred last night following presentation of request for governmental action by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

The conference, however, was believed to have the sanction of the President, who has been reported as determined to effect some relief for wage-earners.

The Department of Justice already has under way several investigations hearing on the cost of living, but their nature has not been disclosed. In addition, the department's experts are examining evidence submitted by the Federal Trade Commission on the packing industry and a decision is expected shortly as to whether or not prosecutions will be instituted.

PRESIDENT IS WORRIED.

President Wilson is giving "deep and very thoughtful consideration" to the high cost of living," it was announced today at the White House, and all branches of the government that might aid in solving the problem are at work.

The President is understood to have been deeply impressed by the statement presented to him yesterday by Warren S. Stone, chief of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, describing the unrest over the country because of the decreased purchasing power of the dollar.

In this connection, it became known today that the Order of Railway Trainmen had presented to the Railroad Administration a statement similar to that of the engineers, setting forth that the trainmen must have increased wages to

less immediate steps were taken to reduce living costs.

"AN ENDLESS CHAIN."

The high cost of living was debated in the Senate today during consideration of a resolution proposing reduction of the amount of currency in circulation.

Senator Myers said that the amount of money in circulation was partly responsible for present conditions, adding that high living costs were "productive of Bolshevism and anarchy."

Referring to the requests of railroad employees for increased wages, Senator Myers said increases in wages invariably were followed by advances in living costs, thus creating "an endless chain."

Senator Foiden, Republican, Washington, said the President had been given \$100,000,000 to feed increased European peoples and added:

"But it would be impossible to get an appropriation of \$1,000,000 for food for Americans."

One of the reasons urged for the appropriation to supply food to Europe, Senator Foiden said, was maintenance of meat and food prices.

While the Senate debate was in progress, Representative Igoe, Democrat, Missouri, appealed informally to members of two House committees to reconsider adoption of his resolution for an inquiry into the cost of living, but no formal decision was reached.

One resolution proposes that the House Ways and Means Committee conduct hearings during the recess to determine whether prices have been increased so as to offset Federal taxation, and the other directs the Federal Trade Commission to determine the cause and necessity of increased prices for shoes, sugar, coffee and clothing.

Representative Fitzgerald, Democrat, Massachusetts, introduced a resolution today declaring it the sense of the House that the United States sell this year's crop at market prices, making up the difference out of the billion-dollar wheat guarantee surplus fund.

Representative Fitzgerald said any market reduction would mean cheaper food and a drop in other commodities.

TIME LIMIT IS SET.

William G. Lee, president of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, announced today that unless the Railroad Administration has taken action by October 1 on the demands of the brotherhood that wages of the trainmen be increased or the cost of living reduced, steps looking to the enforcement of the demand would be taken.

Mr. Lee said the resolution containing this declaration, which had been adopted last night by the trainmen, provided that if the Railroad Administration failed to take action by October 1, the committee would reconvene to consider the necessity for using the protective features of the brotherhood's national agreement and a "very substantial" increase in wages to meet increased living costs, which the committee said had caused a serious state of unrest among the shopmen.

"We are now officially assured by the director-general that the Railroad Administration will sign a national agreement," said the telegram to the shopmen, "and the effort now being made by the director-general to give us definite information at an early date is a momentous step toward the solution of the problem regarding wage matters."

"There must be no stoppage of work during the negotiations," Mr. Lee said public an abstract of the report of hearings recently held by the board of railroad wages, on the trainmen's demands, at which he declared an "upheaval" was nearer in this country today than ever before, due to the unrest arising from mounting living costs. The railroad and government departments had better be assisting "to crush profiteering" by the "packers and other industries," he said, "shouting across the table at each other" at hearings to consider still further increases.

"All of us are to blame," he said, "because we are exerting every effort to get more money for ourselves and better conditions. Every day we must realize that the profiteers are taking double from the working man, and that we are exerting ourselves to get the door, while the workman is merely existing and while the profiteer is piling up millions."

"HELL NEARS AMERICA."

"I will admit to you gentlemen that we are going to have a hell in this country if it is time to call a halt; and I admit to you that unless we get together, unless we commence together to stop this, there will be hell in this country—and it is nearer today than I ever knew it in my years of experience. Just let somebody drop a match in this country of ours and it will be a sorry day for all of us."

"Unless my vision is most terribly obscured, then there is something coming to us pretty soon in this country that we had better take notice of. We had something of peace in this country prior to the war conditions. We were getting along fairly well until profiteering became so noticeable everywhere and until the commodities that working people

are compelled to pay for were permitted to be increased, doubled and trebled, without any question and even against the approval of the government."

"We are nearer war in this world today, I believe, than when the Kaiser threw out the gauntlet. Our law makers are to blame, in my opinion, because the masses of the people are behind them if they would attempt to correct it and surely there is power to correct it; but instead there are playing politics and some of these labor organizations are playing politics, and it is the same all down the line."

Representatives of the six railroad shop unions, who are in conference here with Railroad Administration officials, telegraphed to shop employees over the country today not to strike pending final settlement of their demands. The workers were informed that the Railroad Administration had consented to enter into a national agreement with the unions covering rules and working conditions.

SELL ARMY SURPLUS FOOD.

First steps in the Federal government's attempt to reduce the high cost of living were taken today with the inauguration of a plan for the sale of \$125,000,000 worth of army food stocks direct to the people with every postmaster and mail carrier over the country acting as a salesman.

Distribution of the surplus food in this manner was requested by the House of Representatives and details were worked out at conferences between Secretary Baker, Postmaster-General, and Representative Kelly of Pennsylvania, author of the House resolution.

While this programme was being put into effect, President Wilson had before him a statement from the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, which declared that "conscienceless profiteering by the great interests who have secured control of all the necessities of life" had brought about such conditions that the engineers felt they must demand increased wages unless living expenses speedily were reduced.

At the Department of Justice investigation into the causes of increased living costs were under way with particular attention being given to the question of whether producers or dealers had combined in violation of law to raise prices of necessities.

Meanwhile, there was pending in the House a resolution proposing that the Federal Trade Commission investigate the causes of coffee, sugar, shoes and clothing.

COUNT NO ACCOUNT?

Gould Helms says Titled Hubby Refused to Work.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)

RENO (Nev.) July 31.—At the conclusion of the second hearing of the action for divorce brought by Countess Margaret D. De Bernard against Count Pierre M. De Bernard of Paris, District Judge E. F. Lunsford ordered the case submitted. The court indicated that it would grant the divorce in case the evidence relating to the residence of the Countess in Reno proved sufficient. The evidence on the merits of the case, the court said, was being taken in a very satisfactory manner.

Countess De Bernard said her husband refused to work after their marriage, despite her solicitations and those of his and her mother. He drew all of her monthly allowance out of the bank, the plaintiff said, and this was a source of continuous violent quarrels.

During those quarrels, the Countess said, her husband often struck her. His actions, she said, broke down his health and on the advice of specialists she left him. They were married at New York City April 18, 1907. Countess De Bernard is a member of the wealthy Gould family of New Jersey. Count De Bernard did not contest the case.

OIL FORMATIONS IN OREGON ARE SURVEYED.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)

ASTORIA (Or.) July 31.—Three geologists made preliminary investigations yesterday of the oil rock formations said to exist around the mouth of the Columbia River in both Oregon and Washington. The experts were J. S. Williams, State Geologist; C. B. Osburn, representative of the government Bureau of Mines; and F. G. Sinclair. They made arrangements to co-operate with the Chamber of Commerce in searching for oil near Astoria.

They are making an automobile trip up the coast and will investigate Standard Oil drillings at Mocpila, Wash., before they return to make their headquarters here.

California on Shipping Board.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, July 31.—After some discussion the Senate Commerce Committee today ordered a favorable report on the nomination of John Barton Payne of Illinois, Thomas C. Scott of Connecticut and Henry M. Robinson of California to the members of the Shipping Board.

WHI Receive Flour Offers Weekly.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

NEW YORK, July 31.—The United States Grain Corporation announced tonight that beginning August 2 it will receive weekly offers on "straight wheat flour" in accordance with the terms and conditions of its "flour purchase plan."

ASK CONGRESS TO STOP PROFITEER.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)

LINCOLN (Neb.) July 31.—A resolution by State Representative E. H. Gerhart of Newman Grove was introduced in the House of the Nebraska Legislature today to "petition Congress to immediately enact such legislation as will stop profiteering, and reduce to a fair price, at the earliest possible date, all food and necessities of life."

Another resolution, asking Gov. McKelvie to call an extraordinary legislative session "to take up the matter of profiteering" was offered yesterday. Action on both measures went over until tomorrow.

CHICAGO MILK MEN RAISE PRICES.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)

CHICAGO, July 31.—Chicago retail distributors notified their patrons today that, beginning tomorrow, the price of milk will be increased from 14 to 15 cents a quart and the price of cream from 15 to 16 cents a half-pint.

Retailers explained that the producers had increased the price of milk to distributors 2 cents a 100 pounds for August.

S. S. Chappell, president of one of the largest retail milk distributors, said that the price of milk was being increased because of the high cost of living and the fact that the price of feed was being increased.

GOVERNMENT VESSELS SOLD TO FOREIGNERS.

DELIVERY OF HUNDRED SHIPS TO START AUGUST 10 AND CONTINUE DAILY.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, July 31.—One hundred steamships built on the Great Lakes during the war have been sold by the United States Shipping Board to the Anderson Overseas Corporation of New York for approximately \$80,000,000.

This is probably the largest ship sale on record, the board said in announcing the deal tonight, and the vessels will eventually pass into French and Italian ownership.

Delivery of the ships will commence August 10 and proceed at the rate of six or more a week until completed, Chairman Hurley said. As the sale is made on a part-payment basis, the board will keep a measure of control to assure provision of insurance protection from liens. The ships range from 3200 to 3600 dead-weight tons draft.

Mr. Hurley made the announcement in a press conference here. Earlier in the day he called at the White House and bade good-by to President Wilson. He was escorted by the President for about an hour.

Mr. Hurley resigned last month to take effect August 1. His successor as chairman has not been announced, but it is believed that John Barton Payne will be appointed.

BAY CITY MILK MEN ARE NOT IN TRUST.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, July 31.—Fourteen members of the Associated Milk Producers of San Francisco were acquitted by a jury here late today of a charge of having violated the Cartwright anti-trust law by conspiring to fix the price of their product above the amount intended by law.

SANTA FE TRAIN WRECKED IN ARIZONA.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

NEEDLES, July 31.—Two engines and eight cars of a Santa Fe west-bound freight train left the tracks near Hackberry, Ariz., about sixty miles east of here, at 7 o'clock today and plunged into a wash, according to information received here. Engineer R. Fuller is reported missing.

Mayor Snyder says:

Los Angeles has started on an era of great prosperity. Now let us all pull together and make that prosperity permanent. Let us be thrifty citizens, because THRIFT is a fundamental factor in any city's progress. A thrifty man is a community asset, whereas a debt burdened man is a community liability.

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WILL BALLOT ON CHICAGO STRIKE

Walking Toolers Find Cheer in Settlement Prospect.

Meeting Which Rejected Compromise was Packed One.

Suburban Factories Shut Down Because of Tie-up.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

CHICAGO, July 31.—Resumption of traffic Saturday morning on Chicago's elevated and surface car lines seemed assured tonight, according to reports from union leaders, which came to the headquarters of W. D. Mahon, international president of the street car employees' organization. Mahon declared the car strike is illegal and that the men are violating their own laws and placing themselves in a ridiculous position.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Tolling Chicago today found cheer in the prospect that the street car strike might end soon.

Possibility of the near solution of the strike came with the announcement that the 15,000 surface and elevated men on strike since Tuesday morning would ballot tomorrow on whether to accept the wage scale agreed upon last Monday by their representatives and those of the companies and reject it that same night at a meeting of 800 carmen.

The meeting at which the compromise wage scale of 65 cents an hour for surface men and 67 for elevated, with an eight-hour day and overtime of time and a half, was rejected by a viva voce vote, was not representative, the leaders claimed. They asserted the meeting had been dominated by the radical element of the union membership.

A strike of 600 employees of the Aurora, Elgin and Chicago Electric Lbs. began yesterday morning. Thousands of employees of factories in Aurora and Elgin were thrown out of work by shutdowns because of lack of power ordinarily supplied by the railway company; the water supply was shut off in virtually every town on the line, and at least 10,000 persons who work in Chicago were affected by the strike.

RIVER WORKERS STRIKE.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)

STOCKTON, July 31.—Three hundred members of the River Transportation Workers' Union went on strike at 5 o'clock yesterday for increased wages, and today water front activities are completely tied up. The men are asking that the present scale of 30 cents an hour be increased to 45 cents. A 10 per cent. increase offered by the company was refused. The trouble may also involve the engineers. Much produce is awaiting shipment from the island district and if the strike is prolonged much damage to the island farmers may result.

CAR STRIKE THREATENED.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)

TACOMA, July 31.—With the present wage contract expiring at midnight tonight, the conductors and motormen today presented an ultimatum that a strike will be called if wages are decreased. The men then agreed to continue work for a few days at the old scale.

EVERETT (Wash.) July 31.—All members of the Everett fire department, except the Chief and Assistant Chief, plan to quit work tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock unless the city accedes to their demand for a 10 per cent. increase of \$25 a month.

JUDGE HOLDS COURT IN CHINESE TEA SHOP.

TRIAL OF ALLEGED GRAPTEE MAKES NECESSARY AN INVESTIGATING TOUR.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

OAKLAND, July 31.—Superior Judge J. G. Quinn adjourned court today, and, with jury, attorneys, newspaper correspondents, bailiffs, policemen and the spectators trailing along, went to the store of "Lum," Ernest Lum, Chinese gambler and politician, to determine whether he really had a stock of goods and did a regular retail business or had the shop as a blind to underworld operations. Lum is a witness in the David Cockrell graft lottery trial. When Dist. Atty. Decoto arrived at the shop he found there Corp. Thomas O'Neil, one of the defendants. O'Neil told Decoto on being questioned that he was there to watch the shop in the interests of the defense. Censured by the District Attorney, O'Neil turned to his attorney, Philip M. Carey, who preferred charges of misconduct against the county officer with Judge Quinn, when the jurist came up. Whether a Chinaman may be held in a court of law if he is a highbinder was a problem which faced the cross-examination of Lum. The defense indicated that it hoped to show Lum was a highbinder and that his testimony was one of questionable merit. After two hours' argument the court still had the question under advisement. The defense sought to show in cross-examination of Lum that he was under indictment for a San Francisco tong war murder, but the charges were ruled out. Lum is the second of three Chinese lottery witnesses called by the State.

KNIGHTS TO MEET.

Uniform Rank K. of P. Hold Big Gathering at Anaheim.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.) ANAHEIM, July 31.—Anaheim will be the mecca for the Third Regiment, Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias, Saturday night. The meeting has been called for the purpose of electing a major for the First Battalion which comprises Cavalier Company No. 8 of San Diego, Los Angeles Company No. 25, Anaheim Company No. 34, Pasadena Company No. 22 and Santa Barbara Company No. 48. A new regimental flag will be officially presented by Mrs. P. F. Ames. The brigade encampment at Yosemite in 1920 will come up for discussion.

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Kansas City Chiropractor Discovers Remarkable Compound to Remove Corns.

B. E. Hixon, a well-known Kansas City chemist, explains his wonderful method whereby anyone can remove corns or calluses at home as follows:

"Merely go to a drug store and get a small package of Cactus Corn Compound, which costs only a few cents. The bottle is sufficient to remove dozens of corns. All you do is to paint the corn with the compound and shortly it is off entirely. No pain and you continue with your work as usual."

Hundreds of people in this city have tried Mr. Hixon's method and found it effective—no pain or danger.

Cactus Corn Compound can be procured at any drug store and your money will be refunded if you are not satisfied.—Advertisement.

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Hofer Couldn't Stoop Over to Pick Up Anything.

"I Was Lucky to Get Tanlac," He Says.

Trouble Is Entirely Gone Now.

"I count myself lucky that I got Tanlac, for the medicine has simply made me feel like a brand new man," said Paul Hofer, a well-known machinist employed by the Guarantee Manufacturing Company, living at 3015 Forty-third street, Seattle, recently.

"A little over a year ago," he continued, "my stomach, which had been bothering me for some time, began to act up. Nothing I would eat tasted right and finally I got so I could hardly digest anything. Then I began to get restless and nervous at night and have that tired, draggy feeling all the time. My appetite went back on me and what little I did manage to force down would sour almost as soon as I had eaten it. I would bloat up with gas until I could scarcely get my breath. I had to stop eating meats most altogether and there were very few vegetables but what hurt me. In fact, I hardly ate enough to keep soul and body together and more than half the time I could not retain what little I did eat. My head ached like it would split and my back hurt like it would break in two. I couldn't stoop over and pick up a tool and straighten up, as the pain in my back was so severe that it almost took my breath away. By the time my day's work was done I was so completely played out, my nerves so unstrung from the pain in my back and head, that I was barely able to drag myself home and get to bed. When I did get to bed I was just as miserable, because I couldn't sleep and would lie in all kinds of positions trying to get a little ease and rest."

"Really, I don't see how I managed to keep at my work and I am sure I couldn't have kept it up much longer if I hadn't gotten hold of Tanlac, for I had tried numerous other medicines and kept getting worse. But Tanlac has put me right on my feet and today I am a different man. My stomach is in fine condition, my appetite is great, and I can get just anything set before me and enjoy every mouthful, and I am never bothered a particle with gas, sour stomach, bloating, or any other signs of indigestion. The headaches and backache have left me entirely and my nerves are strong and steady so that now I sleep like a baby every night. I bounce out of bed in the mornings feeling fine and my day's work is no trouble to me at all. When I first started on Tanlac, I was working only 125 pounds, but I now tip the scales at 135, and I am still gaining. In strength as well as weight, every day. I am glad of the opportunity to tell everybody about Tanlac, for it certainly does the work."

Tanlac is sold in Los Angeles, Pasadena and San Diego by the Owl Drug Company.—Advertisement.

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They may be yours if you make the Cuticura Trio your every-day toilet preparations. The Soap cleanses, purifies and beautifies the complexion, softens, soothes and heals redness, roughness, pimples, dandruff, etc., the Talcum powders and perfumes.

Small Size, 25¢; Medium Size, 50¢; Large Size, 75¢. Sold throughout the world. For sample free trial, write to Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. 17, Malden, Mass.

Small Cuticura Soap shown without soap.

HUN TONGUES ARE BLAMED FOR ROW.

(BY CARLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

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It has been established that the Germans aroused the protests of the crowd by sticking out their tongues at the spectators and shouting "Heil" and the crowd's stones were thrown, rest upon the unsupported testimony of Dr. Theodore Melchior, one of the German financial delegates, and Frau Grete Dornier, one of the secretaries.

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POSTAL RATE IS ON PEACE BASIS.

Pre-War Prices Resumed at Midnight.

Government Gives up All Wire Control.

Western Union in Indiana Loses Legal Fight.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

NEW YORK, July 31.—When control of the telegraph systems of the country is formally relinquished by the government at midnight a reduction of 20 per cent. in rates will be made immediately on the lines of the Postal company, but the Western Union will retain the schedule put into effect last year by General Post Office.

Clarence H. Mackay, president of the Postal, announced late today that the rate reduction would be made in accordance with its promise to the public. He qualified the announcement, however, by saying that if expenses continued to mount charges might have to go with them.

Neither would discuss the possibility of a long-continued "rate war." In his announcement Mr. Mackay explained that the 20 per cent. reduction reported the increase which had been in effect since the end of the year, including leased wire rates, and that the rates would be restored to what they were before the government took over the lines.

"In doing this," he said, "we wish to state that if taxes and expenses continue to increase it will be necessary for the company to ask the indulgence of the public in again advancing telegraph rates for the whole of this 20 per cent."

NIGHT LETTER RATE STANDS.

Present rates on night letters, he said, would not be disturbed, but probably would be reduced a little later. The head of the Postal company said the return of the wires to their owners marked the end of a "powerful effort by the Postmaster-General and the Bell Telephone Company to obtain control of the competition of the Postal Telegraph Company."

In a statement on the stand of the Western Union, Mr. Carlton said: "The Western Union wires reach 22,525 separate communities. The only other telegraph system reaches 17 communities, or less than 8 per cent. of the total number served by the Western Union. The offices in over 20,000 small communities exclusively served by our wires are unprofitable to the company, yet such offices are essential to the country at large and must be maintained."

Needs of Western Union employees for higher wages, he said, were recognized and they represented 65 per cent. of the total cost of providing the service. He added that the Western Union would strive to pay its employees wages commensurate with the high cost of living and would seek a very moderate and wholly defensible income on the return for serving the whole public."

INDIANAPOLIS, July 31.—The Indiana Public Service Commission today denied the petition of the Western Union Telegraph Company for permission to continue in effect the 20 per cent. increase in rates collected under government control.

CHANGES IN COAST PERSONNEL.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, July 31.—As a result of the relinquishment of the wire utilities by the government at midnight tonight, William Hearn, vice president of the Postal Telegraph Company in San Francisco, Los Angeles and Seattle, respectively, will be relieved of his positions, it was announced here today.

Hearn will be succeeded by A. B. Richards, who was Hearn's predecessor in the position. A. B. Richards, executive of the company will take Stevenson's place, and Forehand's place will be filled by a company executive from Des Moines, it was announced.

Richards has retained a position with the company since his suspension as superintendent of the Postmaster-General Burleson, it was announced.

He acted for the company in the recent telegraph strike.

CONTROL ENDS AT MIDNIGHT.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, July 31.—At midnight tonight government control of telegraph and telephone systems which began July 22, 1918, will end and the properties will be returned to their private owners. An order to this effect was issued yesterday by Postmaster-General Burleson in accordance with the resolution adopted by Congress and recently signed by President Wilson.

PHONE RATES STAY.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

CHICAGO, July 31.—Telephone rates and schedules in force during the period of government control will be maintained, with certain modifications, temporarily, according to a decision on the Chicago Telephone Company's petition made today by the Illinois Public Utilities Commission.

F. S. Fell, local manager of the Postal Telegraph Company, announced last night the change in rates effective today. This includes the discontinuance of the 20 per cent. increase on day telegrams added on April 1, 1919, and restores the rates for day telegrams to that which prevailed prior to that date.

Night telegrams rates are restored to the rate paid prior to January 1, 1918. There is at present no change in the rates on night telegrams, except in the case of intra-state night telegrams. On these the 20 per cent. increase ordered by the government is now rescinded. Day letter service, according to Mr. Fell's instructions, is discontinued.

AUSTRIAN CABINET DECIDES TO RESIGN.

(BY CARLE AND ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

VIENNA, July 31 (via Bern).—The Austrian Cabinet, headed by Dr. Karl Renner, has decided to resign.

JAMES W. HACKETT

(of New York) is now back at work making his guaranteed \$50,000 a year. His values are sensational.

CLAIM PACKERS DODGE WAR TAX

Federal Commission is Sure of Evidence Presented.

Sought to Involve a Federal Official in Plot.

Shipment to Nation's Enemies is Shown by Britain.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

WASHINGTON, July 31.—The Federal Trade Commission in a report to the Senate today undertook to show that the packers sought to be relieved of making returns on their profits from foreign business, and thus escape payment of heavy additional income taxes.

Levy Mayer, of Chicago, counsel for Armour & Co., and Col. George A. Sanderson, now secretary of the United States Senate, were named by the commission as the representatives of the packers in their efforts to have the order requiring the returns rescinded.

The commission's report was made in response to a resolution proposed by Senator Sherman of Illinois, and recently adopted by the Senate, calling for all documents, papers and other data bearing on alleged negotiations between the commission and British government officials and tending to injure the packers' export trade.

The commission submitted a large volume of papers and other data, and entered a flat denial that it had aided in any proceeding by the British government against the packers.

Included in the report was a letter by Chairman Port of the commission to the British government, in which he denied having any communication with any British official with regard to export trade.

AFRAID OF TAXATION.

"The only incident that I can recall having to do with the American packers' export trade was at the time the Federal Trade Commission called for a report as to the operations of the foreign business of the packers," said Mr. Mayer.

"At this time Mr. Levy Mayer, representing Armour & Co., said to me that the real reason that the returns should not be made was that it might involve very heavy additional payment of income tax to the packers," he said.

"Mr. Mayer exhibited a list of a number of companies doing business in Argentina. As you remember, I was very much outraged at the suggestion that I could or would be party to the defrauding of this government by the country at large and official would be a party to a deception of a friendly foreign government."

"In this connection, Commissioner William B. Colver, in a letter to Mr. Murdock, wrote:

"OPPOSITION STRENGTHENED."

"In the matter of the reports of the five large packing concerns in Chicago with respect to their foreign business, I remember that very great opposition was made to making those returns. Officers, attorneys and agents of the companies visited the commission and visited various commissioners. I think Mr. Henry Vander addressed the commission on the subject, but I was not present at the time. I was present on one occasion when Mr. Levy Mayer discussed the matter in Gov. Fort's office and it is my recollection that Col. George A. Sanderson, who then represented the packers, made a statement in Washington, discussed the matter with me."

Summarizing his report, the commission made these statements:

The correspondence having to do with the agencies of the British government, particularly inquired about by the resolution, was in the nature of requests for information; not the giving of information. Most of these requests apparently were disregarded by the British officials.

In no case was any information volunteered on any topic within the scope of the resolution, with the exception of a letter written by the librarian of the commission requesting an exchange of published reports concerning the war regulation of commodities, to which only brief specifically mentioned.

DENY COLVER SPEECHES.

That Commissioner Colver did travel abroad at public expense as charged, that he did not make any speeches violent or otherwise; and that so far as can be found, no interviews with him were published in London.

In the matter of export trade touching on the supply of meat to Germany, particularly inquired about by the resolution, it is indicated among four of the five

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NO. 3, OVERLAND EXPRESS, WILL ARRIVE AT LOS ANGELES AT 8:00 A.M., INSTEAD OF 4:15 P.M.

New Train to Long Beach and East San Pedro. Will Leave Los Angeles at 9:00 a.m.

NO OTHER CHANGES

Ask Ticket Agents for Information.

ST. LOUIS, July 31.—Funeral services, with military honors, for the late Maj. Arthur B. Donnelly, who was killed in an automobile accident Tuesday night, near Blue Ridge, Pa., will be held in St. Louis, Saturday, Maj. Homan E. Comfort, who left for Pennsylvania yesterday morning, started back with the body late today. The condition of Mrs. Arthur B. Donnelly, injured in an automobile accident, is satisfactory, according to a message received by relatives today.

Mrs. Ethel Riffkin, 70 years old, was fatally injured today when she fell down a flight of steps in the rear of her home. She lay unconscious for a quarter of an hour before she was discovered by her grandchild, Janet, 6 years old. She suffered a broken neck.

AN ENGAGEMENT OF INTEREST is that of Miss Clara Skinner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Skinner of 1468 Stewart place, and Lieut. James H. Divine, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Divine of Kansas City.

ST. PAUL.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

ST. PAUL, July 31.—The ability of Miss Margaret Keller, 16, niece of former Mayor H. P. Keller, and Miss Elizabeth Parker, also 16, daughter of Fred S. Parker, to swim well saved the lives of three women at Bellair, White Bear Lake, Tuesday afternoon. The two girls rescued Mrs. Ben. Hirschmann and Misses Ruth and Margaret Paulhouse, when the trio got into deep water and were near drowning.

Emergency demands of Indianapolis bakers and manufacturing pharmacists for sugar supplies were filed today by Stanley Winslow, former Federal Food Administrator of Marion county, who is now acting as secretary and clearinghouse "pool" director for local wholesale grocers.

OMAHA.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

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ST. LOUIS, July 31.—Funeral services, with military honors, for the late Maj. Arthur B. Donnelly, who was killed in an automobile accident Tuesday night, near Blue Ridge, Pa., will be held in St. Louis, Saturday, Maj. Homan E. Comfort, who left for Pennsylvania yesterday morning, started back with the body late today. The condition of Mrs. Arthur B. Donnelly, injured in an automobile accident, is satisfactory, according to a message received by relatives today.

Mrs. Ethel Riffkin, 70 years old, was fatally injured today when she fell down a flight of steps in the rear of her home. She lay unconscious for a quarter of an hour before she was discovered by her grandchild, Janet, 6 years old. She suffered a broken neck.

AN ENGAGEMENT OF INTEREST is that of Miss Clara Skinner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Skinner of 1468 Stewart place, and Lieut. James H. Divine, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Divine of Kansas City.

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FRIDAY MORNING

NOTED NAVAL HEADS
TO STUDY SAN DIEGO

FOR BALBOA PARK HOSPITAL
AND TRAINING STATION
AT NORTH ISLAND.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

SAN DIEGO, July 31.—A telegram from Senator James D. Phelan at Washington to Mayor Louis F. Wiggin today announced that a new board of high rank will arrive here Saturday and inspect all projects in California for naval shore improvements and report to Secretary of Navy Daniels on his arrival here, August 6. Senator Phelan's telegram also said President Wilson would visit the Coast and he would urge him to stop here.

Members of this board are Admiral C. W. Parks, chief of the bureau of yards and docks; Admiral J. S. McKean, chief of the bureau of naval construction and repair; and Commander A. A. Hilton, an assistant in charge of the bureau of accounts and supplies.

The projects which the board will investigate here are the proposed naval hospital and naval training station. The estimated cost of the hospital is \$2,000,000 and the ship in Balboa Park, which was occupied during the war as a naval training camp. The site of the proposed naval training station is on the north shore of the bay and is planned to build it large enough to accommodate 10,000 officers and men. The latter project has been approved by Secretary Daniels and the Senate Naval Affairs Committee, and the Navy Department has recently ordered the preparations of plans and specifications for the buildings.

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SEATTLE FIGHTS JAP CONTROL

Veteran League and Other Civic Bodies Urge
That Violations of Agreement On
Immigration Be Stopped.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

SEATTLE, July 31.—As a result of a charge by Miller Freeman, chairman of the Veterans' Welfare Commission, that Japanese of Seattle are reaching out and gaining control of hotels, restaurants, markets, and farm lands in the Northwest so rapidly that these industries will soon be entirely controlled by the orientals, the Mutual Business Men's Club and the American Legion have voted to consider the question of requesting Senator Jones and Congressman Albert Johnson to bring the Japanese question before Congress.

Chairman Freeman recently made the discovery that Japanese of this city, breaking the "Gentlemen's Agreement" between the two countries, have gained control of the following: The city public market, 150 grocery stores, 215 hotels, many of them large establishments; several of Seattle's largest apartment houses, hundreds of acres of the best farming land in the country and scores of restaurants, junk shops, garages and dry goods.

Investigations show, it is reported, that Japanese are violating the law by holding land, or violating the spirit of the law by holding long period leases, and the facts will be put before the Senate. It is charged that through the "picture bride" system, the Japanese population is multiplying rapidly. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1919, a total of 1621 Japanese women arrived in Seattle from the Orient, according to figures compiled from official records. A vast majority of them turned up as picture brides and were so claimed by male Japanese who appeared at the immigration station in Seattle. During the same period a total of 1621 male Japanese were admitted. In other words, a total of 3242 Japanese population of Seattle. Add to this the influx of the fact that Japanese mothers bear five times as many children as American mothers and it will be seen that the Japanese population of Seattle is outstripping American population by leaps and bounds.

An evening newspaper printed editorially tonight the following: "If we check the ever-growing racial irritation now, we can avoid war. As we delay, the remedy will be to move more war. In the Sacramento Valley of California, the country is Japanese already. It

REPORTS DARING HOLDUP.

A daring hold-up, in which the victim was ordered into a Ford touring car at the point of a gun and carried around for several blocks, during which time he was relieved of \$450 by two negroes, was reported to Detectives Moran and Little of the University police last night, when G. Paul Wells of 316 West Forty-seventh street, president of the Wells Tire Company, of 1904 South Main street, informed the officers that he had been robbed as he was leaving a street car at the corner of Forty-sixth street and Monmouth avenue.

Mr. Wells stated that he was going home with the day's receipts of the company after working late last night, and when he stepped into the street car two negroes, driving a Ford, halted behind the car. When he right hand man of Legion, president of the confederation.

It is, however, very uncertain whether even with the American plan of voting the Germans would make the majority if the question at issue was one of the European Union, the only American soldier in the war who lost both eyes and hands, was passed today by the Senate and now goes to the President.

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WHAT'S DOING TODAY.

Explanations of war and army nurses held at 2 p.m. at headquarters of Southern California Nursing Association at Huntington Beach.

Prof. Ira Brown spoke tonight at the Friday Morning Club House on "Bridging the Gap Between Church and Laity."

All-day meeting at Peninsula Hall, 227 South Main street, with social address at 11 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

General Service Club meets at Blanchard Hall tonight; speaker, E. H. Wilson.

Boys' Club of Los Angeles holds luncheon at 11 a.m. at 741 South Broadway; speakers, John S. McGroarty, William S. McGroarty, and William S. McGroarty.

Prof. E. H. Wilson speaks at noon in the University News Thought Study, Branch Shop, 227 South Main street.

Land concert at Westlake and Echo parks at 7:45 p.m.

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BECOMES TEACHER IN FAR-OFF JAPAN.

SON OF PRESIDENT OF POMONA COLLEGE GOES TO ORIENT.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

CLAREMONT, July 31.—Allen Carrier Blaisdell, youngest son of President James A. Blaisdell of Pomona College, and Mrs. Blaisdell, will sail on August 12, to teach in the Japanese schools during the coming year. He was appointed to this position by the Y.M.C.A., but will be in the direct employ of the Japanese government and will probably be located in Osaka.

Mr. Blaisdell is a graduate of Pomona College in the class of '18, having returned here to graduate with his own class after a period of training at Camp Taylor, Ky., where he won the commission of second lieutenant in artillery. Throughout his college course he was prominent in debating societies and athletics, and at the close of his junior year was elected president of the associated students of Pomona College, but his entrance into the service of his country prevented his fulfilling the duties of this office. On the occasion of the graduation exercises, in June, he represented his class as a commencement speaker.

INJURIES CAUSE DEATH.

Prominent Claremont Woman Dies at Sacramento.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

CLAREMONT, July 31.—Miss Helen H. Humphrey, daughter of Mrs. W. S. Humphrey of Claremont, died early Wednesday morning in Sacramento, from injuries received when she leaped from a burning automobile on the road to Sacramento from Davis, where she was a student at the summer session.

Miss Humphrey was born in Parsons, Kan., March 18, 1892, and came with her family to Claremont about 1905, where she received her education and was graduated from Pomona College in 1915. Since that time she had been a student at the teachers' college, Columbia University, and also at Cornell University, in the department of agriculture. This summer she entered the Davis Agricultural School, and had been in attendance there for a month when the accident occurred.

Besides her mother, who is spending the summer in the Yosemite, Miss Humphrey is survived by a sister, Ruth, who is in Manchester, N.H., and an aunt, Mrs. W. J. Whyte, of Claremont. No announcement has yet been made in regard to the funeral arrangements.

CHURCH DEDICATION.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

PUENTE, July 31.—The new Bell Memorial Brethren Church, located at Otterbein, one-half mile south of the Valley boulevard, five miles east of Puente, will be dedicated Sunday, August 3. Bishop W. H. Washington of Portland, Or., will officiate at the dedicatory service at 10:30 a.m. The church is located on the corner of Otterbein and Broadway, and also on the corner of Otterbein and Broadway.

Prof. Frank Householder, who is said to be the inventor of the system of defining ability and destiny by the use of numerals, will give a series of free lectures in Blanchard Hall during August, the meetings to be held at 2 o'clock. The subjects of the lectures are as follows: August 3, "The Master Key"; August 10, "The Edifice Erected"; August 17, "The Temple of the Edifice"; August 24, "What Is the Edifice?"; August 31, "The Temple of the Edifice." The meetings will be held at 2 o'clock.

Public evening picnic under the auspices of the Vermont Canyon Improvement club will be held in Vermont Canyon on the corner of Vermont Canyon and Broadway, at 7:30 p.m. The picnic will be held at 7:30 p.m.

Rotarians' Los Angeles Day.

The Rotary Club, at its luncheon at noon today at 741 South Broadway, will have a Los Angeles day program. Sylvester L. Weaver will be chairman; John S. McGroarty, president of the Chamber of Commerce, on "Industry"; P. W. Litchfield, vice-president of the Goodwill City and Rubber Company, on "Selected Topics"; and Frank Higgins on "Los Angeles—Today." An amusing feature will be "Prohibition in the Desert."

ENGINEER INJURED.

VISALIA, July 31.—G. A. Smith, Southern Pacific engineer, was brought here today for emergency treatment. He was suffering from injuries received when the piston chamber of his engine exploded while pulling a train between here and Gothen.

Smith was scalded by live steam which was escaping in an effort to save himself from further burns jumped from the engine. His right arm was broken and both legs injured.

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THE WEATHER.

(Official Report.)

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, July 31.—(Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Meteorologist.) At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.04; wind, S.W., 10 m.p.h.; temperature, 60 deg.; relative



Dorothy Dix TALKS

Home Influence.

BY DOROTHY DIX.

It is a platitude to say that there is no other influence in the world so all powerful as home influence, and that we go through life bearing the mark that was stamped upon us in our plastic childhood.

It is the importance of home influence that makes many of us believe that people who are unhappy married, but who have children, should bear almost any wrong rather than break up a home and tear children from their natural environment, and deprive them of either a mother's or a father's love and guidance.

No one is so blind as not to perceive the baneful effect that divorce must inevitably have upon the children of a household, but few parents realize that scarcely less disastrous is the effect that a quarrelsome home has upon the children in it.

Testimony on this subject that should make all fathers and mothers do some very serious thinking has just been given by the judge in a juvenile court who declares that he has found that almost invariably the children who go wrong are either the children of divorced parents, or else of parents who are always quarrelling with each other.

He says that the evidence of these children show that they lost respect for their fathers and mothers, because their parents had no self-control; that they were indifferently taught selfishness, because both father and mother were struggling to get the best of everything for himself or herself, and that they fought instinctively because they had been brought up in an atmosphere of strife.

No sensible person can doubt the justice of this judge's conclusion. When a husband and wife have a spat at the breakfast table they are silly enough to think that it concerns themselves alone, and that if they kiss and make up the harm has been obliterated. Never was there a more fatal error.

The real people concerned are the children who sit around, open-mouthed and wide-eyed, listening while their father hurls insults at their mother, and their mother flings back venomous accusations against their father. In such a domestic storm every particle of the child's reverence for his parents is swept away.

He gauges the length and breadth of the weakness that cannot control its own temper and tongue. He wonders if the things that mother says about father, and father says about mother are true, and in his doubt his household gods are toppled from their pedestals and smashed into fragments at his feet.

Don't think that a child doesn't understand the significance of such a scene. There are no other such shrewd judges of character, and no such merciless critics as children. An older person may make excuses

as soon as possible, and get out into the world where people tread each other at least with outward politeness.

With a team-work to rear children properly, and that is something you do not find in many homes, hence the number of delinquent children. And the pity of it is that there are millions of perfectly good, well-meaning people who quarrel just because quarrelling has become a habit with them without realizing that by doing so they are ruining their children.

Home influence is the most important factor in the development of any life, but it is powerful for evil as well as for good, and hence may well pity, and judge leniently, the helpless children whose misfortune it is to be brought up in a house of strife.

EMERGENCY SHELF REAL LIFE SAVER.

The unexpected guest holds little terror for the housewife with a well stocked emergency shelf. This should always be replenished as supplies are taken from it. The following is a good list of supplies from which quick meals can be prepared.

Canned corn, canned peas, canned string beans, canned tomatoes, canned salmon and tuna fish, canned mushrooms, olives, crackers, peanut butter, marmalade.

In addition to these well-known ready-to-serve foods, there are a few little jars of salad dressing, tomato paste, bottles of grated cheese.

With a jar of tomato paste a tomato sauce for meats or macaroni dishes is easily prepared by heating the sauce and seasoning slightly. With a few slices of meat covered with the tomato sauce, little baking-powder biscuits and preserves, a good cup of tea, coffee or chocolate, no one need go hungry.

Quick biscuit can be more easily prepared than any form of bread: Mix and sift two cups of flour, four teaspoons of baking powder and one-half teaspoon of salt. Work in two tablespoons of butter, using the tips of the fingers and add gradually while mixing with a caseknife, seven-eighths of a cup of milk. Drop by spoonfuls in a buttered pan one inch apart and bake in a hot oven ten minutes.

One housewife adds to her emergency shelf a small jar of almond meats, a box of candied orange peel and a bottle of rose flavoring. With these favorings she can give a "company touch" to the plainest of cornstarch or rice puddings. The nuts, the shredded orange peel, the sauce flavored with rose, transform desserts wonderfully.

There comes a day when mother finds herself unable to cope with her headstrong son, and appeals to father's authority to control the boy. But father has no authority because mother has undermined him by years of criticism and complaints of father, and by teaching the boy to secretly disobey him.

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Village Life

By FOX.



Prohibition is Also Going to Work an Unfair Hardship on the Man Who Comes to Read the Meter.

of the day of judgment. The customer feels that somebody is trying to get the best of him and both are suspicious of one another.

Apparently they have a right to be. The customer would get something for nothing if he could—and the man behind the counter would have a half for his pound of flesh.

The rules for the customer are harsh. Mostly he puts up his cash in advance, buys unlight and unseasoned, but carries his own home.

You can look but you mustn't touch. The merchant says this is for sanitary reasons, but mostly it is because the tomatoes are rotten, the corn old and the peaches green. You may be also sure that the meat is tough and the cheese tasteless. The good thing is your money, and while the clerk is weighing his

thumb he is biting the coin to make sure of it.

But there is no atmosphere of accommodation in the air. Drop in at a new place and try it. The man behind the vegetable counter will scorn-weigh you as quick as he can and have it over with. He doesn't expect to see you again and he has as if he didn't want to. If you take the pains to check up on his stuff, he never will, unless you are one of those unusual persons who go back to register a kick.

Race seems to have nothing to do with it. The Japanese and Americans behave much alike. After some effort they can be persuaded to take your money, but they don't want to give you anything for it if they can help it. In this environment of suspicion and distrust there is no pleasure or interest in shopping. The housewife is glad to have it over with and is content to do it by mail

or telephone if possible. Whether she does it in person or by wire she is likely to get what she doesn't want. One chance is as good as another.

The green goods dealers are especially living up to their name. The joys of shopping! There isn't no such animal.

FRANK E. BROWNE.

MAY OPEN BRICKYARD.

A petition was filed yesterday for presentation to the Council, asking that a brickyard bounded by Ricker street, Yorba street, and Reynold street, located in the hills back of Rose Hill, be excepted from the residence district ordinance.

This is the brickyard that was used in making the blocks for the Ham-burger Building, and it is proposed to reopen it, because of the increasing demand for building materials.

STORM RAGING ON CLERK JOB.

Contest Breaks Out Afresh as Mandate is Sought.

H. C. Lichtenberger Emulates Example of W. L. Clark.

Legality of Special Body for Examination Questioned.

With the filing yesterday by Herman C. Lichtenberger, head of the probate department of the County Clerk's office, of a complaint in intervention to the hearing on a petition of mandate directed at the County Civil Service Commission, the storm over the appointment of a County Clerk broke out afresh yesterday.

Mr. Clark, who was declared by the commission to have passed the examination for County Clerk with the highest mark, obtained an alternative writ of mandate, returnable August 8, before Judge Jackson. This mandate directs that the County Civil Service Commission either certify Mr. Clark to the Board of Supervisors, along with two other of the highest candidates with the highest marks, or appear in court and show why they have not done so.

In Mr. Lichtenberger's complaint in intervention, filed yesterday with the County Clerk, through his attorneys, Messrs. & Moore and Will H. Anderson, he raises questions as to the legality of the whole examination, and as the right of Mr. Clark, as an employee of the Civil Service Commission, to take the examination. A question is also raised as to the legality of the appointment of the special commission named to conduct the examination. Mr. Lichtenberger also alleges that "some person, unknown to the intervenor," changed certain markings on examination papers, with the alleged result that Mr. Lichtenberger's name was not among the list of eligibles.

The intervenor claims he would have been among those eligible had this not been done, and claims the right to be heard at the hearing on the writ of mandate.

DIES AT CAPITAL.

Former Angeleno Lady Passes Away Suddenly in Washington.

Word was received here yesterday of the sudden death on Tuesday in Washington, D. C., of Mrs. F. Marion Wigmore, whose husband is the son of the late John Wigmore of Los Angeles, and who, for the last fifteen years has been living in Evanston, Ill., and Washington.

Mrs. Wigmore was a Miss Wilson of Evanston, where her family has long been prominent.

CHANGE STREET NAMES.

There is a conflict in street names in the Sawtelle district which the City Council wishes straightened out, and yesterday it instructed the City Engineer to make an investigation and report on the street names that should be changed.

LETTERS TO "THE TIMES."

Tell the Senate.

LA JOLLA, July 26.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I read in The Times that the President is going on a 10,000-mile tour to make an appeal to the masses to force an early and unamended ratification of the treaty which he secretly negotiated with France, without so much as asking the approval of anyone on this side of the Atlantic.

Let it be known to the President that the Senate—the co-ordinate treaty-making branch of the government—will not give its information essential to a clear and comprehensive study of the questions involved and their relation to the future of the country and the world at large.

With what, then, will the President appeal to the country at large? With his much vaunted "passion for publicity" function before the public or will he shrink from the responsibility of only, as heretofore, to the very select few summoned to the throne room of the White House?

Let it be known to the President that what the American people want is not rhetorical generalities nor invective exhortation but analysis and facts. For a long time they have been patiently waiting for these and have vaguely wondered why the Senate, which they believe to be entitled to all the facts, should have been and still is kept in the dark.

It is bad enough for the President, entirely on his own responsibility, to butt into a mass of world affairs that were no concern of ours and he makes matters no better by his obstinate persistent endeavors to bring a co-ordinate branch of the government in contempt before the people.

S. F. HEAVENRICH.

In the Right Direction.

GLENDALE, July 26.—[To the Editor of The Times:] The action of Supt. Shieles, of Los Angeles, in requiring the applicants for a teacher's position to give proof of their patriotism and loyalty to our government, also requiring them to pledge themselves to have a right influence in this line is certainly a splendid move in the right direction and should be fully appreciated as such.

We earnestly trust that this example will speedily be followed all over the land.

The Hun police have invaded many of our universities to an alarming degree. We are taxed to support professors who are in sentiment and thoroughly disloyal and immoral with the very tolerant view of sin that sin is a part of the experience that develops character.

One professor was known to advise a student to go to the "red light" district to gain experience. On let us hasten to thoroughly purge our schools of disloyalty and other dangerous influences. Therein lies our hope and safety.

JULIA R. BEERS.

Work for Soldiers.

LOS ANGELES, July 28.—[To the Editor of The Times:] After spending several weeks in your city in careful observation, and after considering what a long-suffering, magnanimous man you are—I have read

other letters to you in the columns of your paper—I take the liberty of humbly offering to your city through you a suggestion or two as to how Los Angeles may help solve the problem of employment for the returning doughboy.

Why not assign these unemployed boys the task (it would demand good pay) of safeguarding pedestrians across the streets and "on the streets" style of skirt places the ladies and how impossible to them is the "shop, ship and a jump" often necessary in dodging your aristocratic automobiles and in boarding your disdainful, impatient street cars.

Secondly, why should not an army (it is not an army) of soldiers be busily engaged with grease and oil cans in eradicating that awful combination of groaning, grating shrieking and agonizing tearing of street cars, said combination of terrifying noises to be entirely eliminated during the wee hours of the night, when one is supposed to get his beauty sleep; and to be greatly reduced during the busy hours of the day, when one is obliged to be harassed by countless business problems?

One who appreciates the bewildering wonders and progress of "Mr. City," but who loves to recall the peaceful quiet of "God's country."

A Word for Colombia.

SAN DIEGO, July 26.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Why not our country in adjusting relations with Colombia lead the world, as the Boxer indemnity matter, by showing that one nation can treat another with courtesy, as one gentleman would another in case of an obvious wrong?

Of one of your many readers grateful for your staunch support of the League of Nations.

L. S. PATRICK.

Wants It Stopped.

LOS ANGELES, July 28.—[To the Editor of The Times:] It is about time for the papers to drop the word "Hun" as applied to the Germans. We could stand it during the war, but the war is over and we are at peace with Germany not and the word sounds very distasteful to German-born and even to American-born from German parents. Though born in Germany I care nothing for that country, as I am a loyal American citizen to the last drop of blood.

CARL VOIGT.

FAVORS HUN FRUIT.

LOS ANGELES, July 28.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Please halt that prune procession. Why a prune procession? Prunes are not half a cake of yeast will put 25 percent older way to the bad. There's only one fruit that merits going on the great seal, and that's the hen fruit. Talk about your parade—why there would be no trouble at all gathering 40,000 chickens and a few old hens for one grand parade. Please call off that prune parade.

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TO SHOW Great Rodeo to Sailors

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Contributions of all will be acceptable. Ten dollars at a time will help in the cause. As a matter of fact, they can be sent to Mayor Motley Flint or any other of the committee.

Motley Flint estimates that of staging the rodeo and feed mules at Exposition Park a \$20,000, and the decoration take another \$10,000 while the ball will cost at least \$10,000. These are only a few of the leading Chairman Woolwine says make up the total cost of the rodeo.

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At a meeting of the Committee yesterday, the mayor, of Solomon's dance was given a vote of thanks for gift of half his gross receipts. Last Wednesday night to the Motley Flint, chairman.

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Krumbles is all wheat—kernel and bran-cooked, shredded, and toasted, ready to eat. Our "Waxtite" package saves all the aroma and flavor, and the splendidly healthy qualities of Krumbles for you, just as Krumbles comes fresh from our great ovens.

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TO SHOW GOBS WILD WEST.

Great Rodeo to be Staged Here for the Sailors of the Fleet.

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Motley Flint estimates the cost of staging the rodeo and feeding the sailors at Exposition Park at about \$10,000, and the decorations will take another \$10,000 while the grand hall will cost at least \$10,000. These are only a few of the leading items. Chairman Woolwine says many people are laboring under the impression that the city has appropriated \$100,000 with which to defray all expenses. This, he says, is a serious mistake. As a matter of fact, developed at yesterday's conference, the city isn't even paying for the rodeo and feeding the sailors at San Pedro and for electric lights to string along the buildings. All of these expenses are being met with money publicly subscribed. Mr. Woolwine declares. At a meeting of the Finance Committee yesterday, Fred Solomon, of Solomon's dance pavilion, was given a vote of thanks for the gift of half his house of receipts of the night, when one is supposed to get his beauty sleep; and to be greatly reduced during the day, when one is obliged to be harassed by countless business problems.

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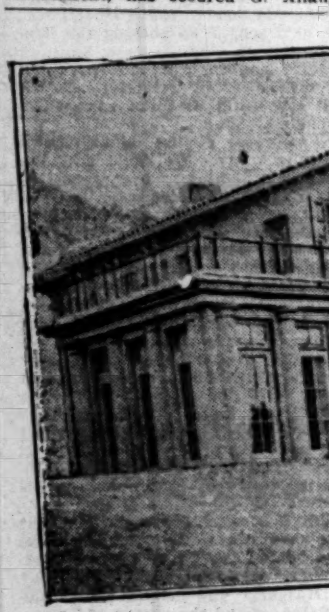
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Entertainment Committee, announces that he is ready to receive sealed bids for all kinds of concessions at Exposition Park while the fleet is here. It should be understood, he says, that persons in charge of concessions are not to solicit men in uniform. The visitors are to be transported over the local railways free of charge, they will be given their meals at Exposition Park, will be given beds downtown, and will be supplied with free tickets to the theaters during their sojourn here.

De Witt Van Court of the Los Angeles Athletic Club has been named chairman of the committee in charge of the programme of boxing and wrestling, which will be staged at Exposition Park, August 11. He has as assistants the sporting editors of local newspapers.

WELCOMING COMMITTEE.

John B. Elliott, in charge of harbor arrangements for the fleet entertainment, has secured G. Allen



House and Part of Grounds of the New Hollywood Country Club.

Hancock's magnificent 100-foot yacht Velero to convey the official welcoming committee from San Pedro to Admiral Hugh Rodman's flagship, New Mexico, when the fleet drops anchor.

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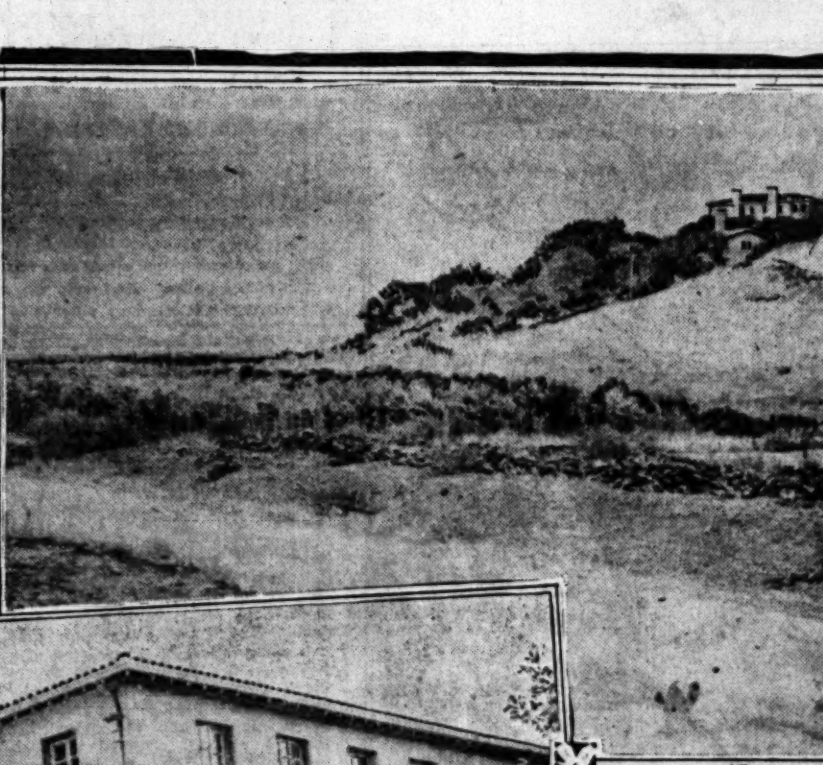
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NEW CLUB WILL BUY A MANSION.

Has Option on Country Home of Holt, Millionaire.

Hollywood People Planning Varied Improvements.

Cost of Place is Said to be Two Hundred Thousand.

A modern mansion, the country home near Hollywood of a millionaire, and the surrounding park of 148 acres are to be the clubhouse and grounds of the Hollywood Country Club, tentative plans of which were published in The Times recently. The announcement was made following the first meeting of the board of directors Wednesday afternoon at new club offices at 350 Markham building. The cost of the property is said to be \$200,000.

The owner of the property on which the club has secured an option is W. F. Holt, the "Father of Imperial Valley," and the original Jefferson Worth in "The Winning of Barbara Worth." Mr. Holt is president of the club.

Besides the twelve-room mansion which is built of wood throughout and constructed of interlocking tile and concrete, there are six bungalows of similar construction, and all materials employed are the best that money could buy. In addition are all the buildings auxiliary to such an estate, the units forming a splendid nucleus for a country club. The formal opening is expected to be in December.

GOOD FOR GOLF.

The estate, less six miles from Hollywood boulevard and Cabuena avenue and has a frontage of half a mile on Ventura boulevard, and additional land adjacent to the property is said to be needed. The grounds are pronounced exceptionally fine for golf courses.

F. A. Feebles has completed this week a survey for the golf course, one eighteen holes for men and a nine-hole course for women. He declares the course ideal in its improved state and that when improved it will be the sportiest course in California. Every foot of the land has water and this assures grass greens and fairways.

The clubhouse, which is a knoll, practically the entire play can be seen while the view from there is said to be superb.

Besides the golf links, twelve tennis courts are planned, together with a polo field, fully-equipped gymnasium, shooting boxes for the gun club, handball and basketball courts, and an open-air plunge, 60x120 feet. A fully-equipped children's playground and nursery, with matron and assistants in charge, will be installed.

A great deal of landscaping has been done on the property. Its beauties are diversified and include two shaded pools with water falls and numerous secluded nooks convertible into tea gardens.

The ground floor area of the clubhouse is 60x100 feet. The lounge, library, music-room and large dining hall are on the first floor. On the second are accommodations for twenty members. The men's shower baths and individual lockers sufficient to take care of 200 members. The men's dressing-rooms and lockers are adjacent to the main building.

From \$50,000 to \$75,000, it is said, will be expended on additions to the house and development of the grounds. Present garage accommodations for thirty cars will be increased and the parking space for 200 cars greatly enlarged. A string of verandas to be added about the first and second floors will comprise a dining terrace.

The club contemplates putting in an auto-bus line, the cars to make the trip from the center of Hollywood to the grounds in fifteen to twenty minutes.

TO PICTURE FLEET FROM SEAPLANES.

Navy Air Chief Arranges Spectacular Flight to SNAP SHIPS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN DIEGO, July 31.—Detailed plans for the flight of three huge Liberty-nurtured seaplanes from San Diego to Cedros Island, August 5, to take moving pictures and photographs of the Pacific fleet in battle formation on August 6, and of the second flight of twenty-one seaplanes on the morning of August 7, were announced today by Commander E. W. Spencer, Jr., commander of the North Island Naval Air Station.

The flights will be the most spectacular ever made on the west coast by naval aircraft. The pictures taken will represent a total expenditure of about \$10,000.

Under an agreement reached at San Francisco between Rear-Admiral Jayne, commander of the fleet, and the Navy Department, representatives of the press and pictorial association, two newspaper photographers and one moving-picture operator will be taken on the Cedros Island flight.

William C. Baker has been selected to represent San Diego newspapers. E. J. Spencer has been nominated to represent Los Angeles and San Francisco newspapers. Baker and Spencer will be taken to South Bay, on the northeast shore of Cedros Island, thirty miles south of this port, on the torpedo boat destroyer Spruon, or by seaplane on the morning of August 5. The following day at 10 a. m. the seaplanes will carry photographers and motion picture operators, will fly to a point forty miles east of Cedros Island where they will meet the fleet.

Returning, the seaplanes will fly to North Island, arriving about 6:30 p. m. The planes will immediately be developed and distributed in accordance with the agreement reached with Admiral Jayne and the press.

At 7 o'clock, the morning of August 7 a division of seaplanes of the H. S. 2-L type will leave the North Island naval air station for a flight past the Coronado Islands to intercept the fleet before it breaks formation for steaming into the harbor. These seaplanes will carry, in addition to the pilots, three moving-picture operators and representatives of the Associated Press and other press services.

Following these six seaplanes will be a fleet of fifteen flying boats and hydroplanes, in battle formation, as an official escort of the fleet.

It is expected that seaplanes, will also be sent aloft from the super-dreadnaughts, affording one of the greatest aviation spectacles ever witnessed on the Pacific Coast.

GOVERNOR'S PART IN FLEET WELCOME TOLD.

Will Trek With Daniels to BORDER TO GREET SHIPS AND MAKE VOYAGE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, July 31.—Details of the Governor's participation in the ceremonies of welcoming the Pacific fleet were announced at his office today by his private secretary, Martin C. Madsen. Gov. Stephens will arrive in San Diego the afternoon of August 4, joining Hon. Josephus Daniels on the trip to the international boundary line, where the official greetings of the State will be extended. By special invitation wired from Washington by Secretary Daniels, the Governor will remain in San Diego during the festivities and then accompany the Secretary on the battiship, New Mexico to Los Angeles. Other members of the party will be the Governor's daughter, Mrs. Randolph T. Zane, Adj. Gen. J. J. Burke and Gov. Stephens' executive secretary, Maj. Warren B. Howard.

Admiral Rodman has been advised by radio of the plan and will have his ships arranged accordingly.

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TO CLEAN UP OUR PRISONS.

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assessing and collection of taxes with the county's. This ordinance will then have to be submitted to a vote of the people of Los Angeles at the next general election.

Eleven sections of a programme submitted by the City Jail and fully endorsed by a long list of other organizations were presented and speakers discussed each section. The ordinance was then submitted and met with approval, and it is along this general line that the propaganda will follow.

Among the speakers were W. J. Dodd, Frank H. Olmstead, W. H. Workman, Jr., Dr. Edwin A. Waldo, Mrs. William Reed, Dr. J. A. Brien, Clifford McKnight, Health Commissioner Powers, W. C. Shelton, E. G. Judah, members of the City Council and Board of Supervisors and the Mayor.

MAYOR'S VIEWS.

Mayor Snyder said, in part: "The first idea must be to clean up the old City Jail. I agree with speakers here that it is in a most offensive, I will even say damnable, condition. It is a disgrace to the city, and is a disgrace to the city. With a new jail we must provide a proper administration building. That is imperative. I want to see a committee organized to secure a new City Jail and to see that the new jail that with the new vision the people have, they would readily vote for bonds for this purpose if it is properly presented. I believe that now is the time to act."

Members of the Council expressed themselves as being in full accord with the plan to better conditions and agreeing that the first step must be improvement at the City Jail.

The immediate programme outlined by the Municipal League calls not only for present physical expansion of the jail but also for segregation of diseased prisoners, abolition of clothing and delousing, physical and mental examinations before sentence is pronounced, help for men and women just out of jail, abolition of discrimination in favor of prisoners with funds to pay for extras and encouragement of courtesy and humane treatment.

TAKE HITCH IN LAW.

Abuse of Liquor Privileges Leads to More Stringent Regulations.

Collector Carter was advised yesterday by Commissioner of Internal Revenue Hopper that on account of abuses of the regulations issued in connection with the use or sale of alcohol for other than beverage purposes it is necessary that the lenient policy adopted by the department in the enforcement of these regulations be departed from and hereafter all manufacturers of preparations in which nonbeverage alcohol is authorized to be used will be uniformly held for tax and penal liability where the products have been found to be manufactured and marketed otherwise than according to the regulations. This rule will be followed, even though there is no evidence in dictating bad faith or neglect on the part of the manufacturer or user of nonbeverage alcohol.

Likewise it is held accountable when it is found that the preparations made or distributed by them have been, under preventable circumstances, diverted for use as beverages.

TO HONOR LAFAYETTE.

Local Society Re-elects Officers and Plans Birthday Fete.

That Los Angeles will take a creditable part in the nation-wide celebration on September 8 of the past, the Coronado Islands to intercept the fleet before it breaks formation for steaming into the harbor. These seaplanes will carry, in addition to the pilots, three moving-picture operators and representatives of the Associated Press and other press services.

Following these six seaplanes will be a fleet of fifteen flying boats and hydroplanes, in battle formation, as an official escort of the fleet.

It is expected that seaplanes, will also be sent aloft from the super-dreadnaughts, affording one of the greatest aviation spectacles ever witnessed on the Pacific Coast.

READY TO GREET 'EM.

Chiefs of United States Commerce Board Arrive Today.

Directors of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, representing some 2000 of the leading commercial concerns of the nation, are due to arrive at 5:30 p. m. today. They will be met at the Salt Lake depot by a deputation from the local chamber and will be taken to the Alexandria Hotel, where dinner will be served.

The party is en route to Seattle to attend a meeting of the United States Chamber of Commerce, to be held August 8 to 10. While in this city the visitors will be the guests of the local Chamber of Commerce. They will remain here until 4:30 p. m. Sunday.

A conference between the delegates and the directors of the local chamber will be held in the directors' room Saturday morning. At noon the party will leave for Long Beach, where they will be the guests at a dinner at the Hotel Virginia. Tomorrow night they will be the guests of the Pasadena Board of Trade at a 6:30 o'clock dinner, at the Hotel Maryland.

SUNDAYS OFF FOR CIGAR STORES' MEN.

Sundays off for all United Cigar Stores' employees the country over, was announced yesterday by E. R. Snyder, general superintendent of the company, on his arrival here on an inspection trip. The order affects 1400 stores in the United States, twelve of which are here. The new order is effective the coming Sunday.

—for lunch today

Cut out the greasy meats and heavy indigestible foods for lunch and eat more dairy products.

Drink plenty of pure, sweet milk — a quart a day is not too much—but drink it slowly—eat it! Then instead of feeling "dopey" and sleepy after your noon-day meal you will find that you have more energy, snap, vim, ambition!

Begin today to use more milk.
Telephone your order now.

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LOS ANGELES (Loce Ahng-hayl-ais)

PEN POINTS

BY THE STAFF.

Taken by and large the most expensive part of a man's anatomy is his mouth.

Wonder if we shall be able to get Col. E. M. House out of the trenches of Paris by Christmas?

Finland has a new President. Oh, well, we will have one on March 4, 1921. And he will be a Republican.

Seems to be a lot of the United States Senators who appear to be suffering from a single-track mind.

It is getting so in these days of the high prices of "chow" that it is almost impossible to grow a double chin.

Nobody seems to know or care a haubee whether the Crown Prince has again "disappeared" from his little island.

Our idea of a soft job this summer would be to act as one of the shock troops during the bathing season at the local beaches.

The local drug stores are doing a rushing business in the soft-drink line—but the drug stores always did hurt the saloon business.

But it is mighty hard to see how an abstainer gets any glory out of the "dry" situation. He cannot even pose as a horrible example.

They are wearing the Georgia white lower than ever this summer. Why will the female sex pester a man suffering from poor eyesight?

Why is it that few men make a habit of attending the weekly prayer meeting? If it were not for the women they would soon go out of fashion.

China, in the present Shantung quarrel, ought to be like the old woman who thanked God that, while she had only two teeth left, that they hit.

But if the 24 per cent. beer is to be barred, what is to become of the other 97 1/2 per cent? And if the smaller percentage is supposed to be alcohol, what does the larger consist of?

Colombia is at last to get that \$25,000,000 for her rights in the Panama Canal zone. The "regret" clause is to be eliminated. Colombia is not standing on ceremony just now; she needs the money.

If this prohibition craze goes much further it will soon be a misdemeanor to repeat that match of Ben Johnson's, "Celia," running "Drink to me only with thine eyes and I will pledge with mine," etc.

Never supposed we should live long enough to see stock of the Standard Oil Company offered for sale on the floor of the exchanges. But one hundred million dollars' worth of the stuff is to be had. The shoe dealers ought to be able to take the most of it.

The man who used to be able to cut enough ham sandwiches out of a single ham to pay the national debt as it existed before the great war has been located in Los Angeles. He is now carving up watermelons so that there is a distinct tinge of red in the ten-cent portions handed out to the ultimate consumer.

The cross-examination of Henry Ford in the Chicago Tribune libel action is a great argument in favor of classical education. There has seldom been such a revelation of the confusions, the limitations and the contradictions of this remarkable man's untutored mind. Yet we know of people who would rather have a cultured mind than all of Henry's money.

There were never so many visitors in Los Angeles and they come from all parts of the country. Hotels and apartment houses that usually at this time of year have a slack trade are turning people away every night. It is next to impossible to rent a house, indicating that thousands are coming here for permanent residence. The Los Angeles home fever is spreading.

AMBITIONS.

From Texas they've come, Minn. sons, Illinois.

From dual Dakota, Missouri and Maine.

From Tampa, Tacoma, from Truckee and Troy.

A bevy of beauties, bewitching and coy.

Has journeyed to Filmland by Pullman and plane.

Some Theda would follow and vamp on the screen—

While others would Mabel in comic outfits.

A host of newcomers will covet, I ween.

The title which Mary, the cinema queen, has captured and with it a million or two.

Famed Cleo of Egypt some hope to portray.

Though willing the role of fairer to fill.

While others would butterfly heroines play.

And others cow-ropers, and others—

The stunts in the cloud realm that please us and thrill.

Is envied by warblers from hamlets galore.

Few songbirds, however, screen talent can bring.

So trilling Treasuries and Thrills should cling.

To the vocal vocations they followed before.

C. W. A.

Los Angeles, July 21.

FRIDAY MORNING.

TO DRAW SHIPS OF EVERY SEA.

Plan for Greatest Conclave of Trade Takes Shape.

Chamber of Commerce Opens Drive for Conference.

San Franciscans Urge Team-work on Huge Project.

To effort will be spared by the local Chamber of Commerce to make the proposed Pan-Pacific Trade Conference, to be held in this city next spring, the greatest gathering of business men in the history of the world. This was decided yesterday at a meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce. The Foreign Trade Committee and other departments of the chamber will immediately start upon the drive for the conference.

Arthur McLean, president of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, Robert Newton, president of the City Council, and Councilman Criswell had both been roped in for the great adventure, and the Mayor and Chief of Police had both been previously coaxed for the necessary permits and influential assistance.

The Big Sister League is one of those organizations that are so eminently altruistic and it has, in its two years of existence, achieved such obvious success in the rehabilitation of those girls who would otherwise be recurrent inmates of the city jail that it is entitled to all the aid and privileges available. Especially as its Women's Training Home at 2118 Trinity street reflects the city of a considerable burden in taxes. This fact has made the City Fathers very amiable inclined towards this monster street carnival, by which it is hoped to raise at least \$3500 for maintenance expenses for the coming year. The home has been built and completely equipped by the Big Sisters and the Women's City Club, whose generosity, in addition to holding the trade conference, it is planned to have a fair and a rodeo during the week-end. Many of the girls who are people of the world know Los Angeles only as a beautiful city, but it is the plan of the Chamber of Commerce to show the visitors the better, the agricultural and horticultural advantages of this section, and to explain the things that are going on here. It is believed the giant Goodyear rubber plant will be in operation as well as the corporation's cotton factory and other industries that are now being considered, by the time the conference opens.

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WILL KEEP UP PAY.

Military Allowance will not be Reduced—Many Enlist.

Col. A. M. Wetherill, who is in charge of recruiting activities in this district, has received a telegram from Washington that the present rate of pay in the army will be maintained at the same rate as that paid during the war. Rumors had been circulated that the pay would be reduced; but the telegram just received has settled all doubt and there will be no change in the present scale of the enlisted man's pay.

Reports from the recruiting office for July show that out of 214 applicants, 145 were accepted. The enlistees in the San Fernando Building have been the most numerous, and the officers in charge are glad to give full information regarding to a one or three years' enlistment in the army and the financial advantages.

ARE NO EXCEPTIONS.

Head Rules on Sales to Government, States, and Others.

Internal Revenue Collector Carter issued a ruling yesterday that manufacturers and vendors are not exempt from the payment of tax upon the sale of taxable articles made and sold by them to the government, states or to political subdivisions.

Under a decision of the Supreme court in 1871 it was held that the federal government has no authority to tax the instrumentalities of states, but in the cases mentioned above, the law does not impose the payment of such tax upon any other person than the manufacturer or the dealer, as the case may be.

REVENUE COLLECTIONS OVER MILLION DOLLARS.

Internal Revenue Collector Carter Reported Collections for July.

Collections for July in the office of Internal Revenue Collector Carter amounted to \$1,193,327.73, and this amount \$193,315.27 was made up of income tax and other collections, while the balance of \$1,000,012.46 were \$1,100,529.48. The June collections were \$7,921,292.83, and for 1918, the total was \$941,000.

No Raise in Price

America's own table drink with a flavor similar to coffee.

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Los Angeles, July 21.

CARNIVAL CASH TO AID UPLIFT.

Big Sister League Planning for Brilliant Event.

Proceeds are to go to Home for Unfortunate Women.

Star Vaudeville and Other Features in View.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

The Big Sister League will hold a scintillating street carnival between Sixth and Seventh streets on Olive, September 8. A gay and enthusiastic luncheon meeting was held for the purpose of shaping plans at the City Club yesterday, at which Mrs. R. W. Richardson presided, aided and abetted by a galaxy of summer-clad Big Sisters, all bursting with ideas for making the event a truly sumptuous success. Bert Farmer, executive director of the City Council, and Councilman Criswell had both been roped in for the great adventure, and the Mayor and Chief of Police had both been previously coaxed for the necessary permits and influential assistance.

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PURPOSE EXPLAINED.

Mrs. Richardson, in the absence of the president, Mrs. E. B. Weirick, explained these things at the meeting yesterday and set forth the necessity for the money-culling carnival, which is being held for the rehabilitation of those girls who would otherwise be recurrent inmates of the city jail that it is entitled to all the aid and privileges available. Especially as its Women's Training Home at 2118 Trinity street reflects the city of a considerable burden in taxes. This fact has made the City Fathers very amiable inclined towards this monster street carnival, by which it is hoped to raise at least \$3500 for maintenance expenses for the coming year. The home has been built and completely equipped by the Big Sisters and the Women's City Club, whose generosity, in addition to holding the trade conference, it is planned to have a fair and a rodeo during the week-end. Many of the girls who are people of the world know Los Angeles only as a beautiful city, but it is the plan of the Chamber of Commerce to show the visitors the better, the agricultural and horticultural advantages of this section, and to explain the things that are going on here. It is believed the giant Goodyear rubber plant will be in operation as well as the corporation's cotton factory and other industries that are now being considered, by the time the conference opens.

Both Mr. Farmer and Mr. Criswell were asked for money-making ideas and came through handsomely. Mr. Criswell undertakes the good service of persuading the Public Service Commission to provide free lighting, and also of securing the vacant lot near at hand for the purposes of a vaudeville entertainment. This latter will have the seal of approval of the city, and is in charge of Mrs. Robert Brain. The dancing, the big feature of the event, is in the hands of Mrs. Marjorie Lindsay, who is on the warpath for efficient volunteer musicians. Mrs. Julia Hurst has the dance department, and a nice little job of seeing that there is always plenty of petty cash on hand.

Confused out of the chair, Mrs. John L. Butler, assisted by Mrs. Boeckman, will stand sponsor for the ice cream. Mrs. Rose P. Bryant for the country store, aided by Mrs. Lewis R. Works, and Mrs. Berthold Baruch for the white elephant department, donors for which may take any old form. Mrs. Mary Holman will devote her energies to securing new Big Sisters members, and Mrs. Harriet Barry has loaned her downtown office for meetings.

CALL FOR CAKES.

Another important item is home-made cakes. Mrs. Mitchell has called for 500, by which \$1500 can be raised, and, judging by past experience. It appears there is an avid, hungry cry for cakes, especially when there are any soldiers and sailors in the offing. There are methods of raffling 'em, at which jolly little gamble the city is asked to wink for the occasion—an it probably will.

Bert Farmer naughtily suggested that the white elephant booth receive contributions of many superfluous husbands, but the Big Sisters loyally refrained from indulging this aspersion on the superior sex.

Other ladies vitally interested in making the event a gay success are Mrs. Sloane-Oreut of the Park Commission, Mrs. R. W. Reynolds, Mrs. G. Miner, Mrs. William Fredrickson, Mrs. L. H. Hamilton, and Miss Myra Miller.

One brilliant suggestion was that all the food specialists donate some of their commodities and supply expert demonstrators for the occasion. They will give the department in the Big Sisters the money. There need be no fear of an excess of donations, for all commodities unsold can be used at the training home afterwards, to good purpose.

OFFICIALS HUNTING BOY'S GRANDFATHER.

Efforts were made yesterday by the county probation department to find the grandfather of Robert M. Gray, 8 years old, who is now in charge of the department.

Margaret Marsh-Parker is conducting the search. It was learned that the boy's father, William Gray, was employed in Boyle Heights grocery and then living at 214 Chicago street, left the child with a local charwoman, Mrs. Gray, who has not been seen since. It was understood the mother lives with the child's grandmother at Chicago.

"MONKEY TREE" DIES.

So Owner Sues Man Hired to Care for It.

Damages of \$3000 were asked in a suit filed yesterday by E. C. Eddies of South Pasadena, who alleges that Alex S. Laing, whom he employed to care for his grounds, caused the death of "Monkey tree," a camellia bush and a live-oak tree, which he had planted and cared for.

The defendant, alleges Mr. Eddies, so neglected his work that in four months the bush and the tree died. The other trees died and caused the place to have less value on the market.

RULE AGAINST WOMAN'S WILL.

Harry Duffill is Winner by Supreme Court Decision.

Provision Cutting Share for Marrying Held Invalid.

Property Involved Valued at Two Million Dollars.

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WITH RESERVATIONS.

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Skirts
\$6.75 and \$11.75
In wool plaids, stripes; navy and black serges and silks.
Former prices were \$12.50 to \$20.

Dresses
at \$11.75
Wool jerseys, and serges; also serge and satin combinations.

Coats
\$6.75 to \$17.75
Wool jersey sleeveless jackets. \$6.75; coats in wools and part wool materials. \$11.75, \$17.75.

Suits
\$11.75 and \$17.75
Some in wash materials; others in silks; still others in serge and Poiré twills.
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MAYOR SENDS "AEROGRAMMES"

Chief Executive of Venice Proclaims Big Event.

Hydroplanes and Sub Tenders to Dock at Resort.


Sunday to be Set Aside as Aviators' Day.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)
VENICE, July 31.—Three aviators will leave the Venice field Saturday morning and spend the day flying over Los Angeles and surrounding cities dropping thousands of "aerogrammes" issued by Mayor A. E. Cole of Venice, proclaiming the dedication of the Thomas H. Ince Field, to be held Sunday, August 3.


Wonder What a Sixteen-Months-Old Baby Thinks About - - - By BRIGGS.

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I'M NOT TAKING MUCH INTEREST IN THINGS - I'VE GOT A NOTHER TOOTH COMING IN AND IT PAINS ALL THE TIME - I'VE BEEN SAWING FOR A WEEK




"AND BELIEVE ME THIS WEATHER DOESN'T HELP MATTERS - LOOK - IT'S RIGHT BACK THERE - I CAN'T BE SOCIABLE WITH THAT ACHING ALL THE TIME - BAW-W"




I'VE GOT A NEW PAIR OF SHOES - AIN'T THEY SWELL - BOU-W HOO-HOO - WHAT ARE TEETH FOR ANYHOW - I DIDN'T WANT ANY




HONEST I CRY SO MUCH I GET TIRED HEARING MYSELF - BUT GEE WILLIKENS! IT DOES HURT! I HAD A NICE RIDE, TODAY




THE OLD THING HURTS ALL THE TIME - I HATE TO KEEP UP THIS BAWLING BUT IT'S THE ONLY RELIEF I GET - IT HELPS A LITTLE - BAW-W"




SOMETIMES I JUST DO A LITTLE BIT OF WHIMPERING LIKE THIS - MOSTLY AT NIGHT - GEE IT GETS MY FATHER'S GOAT



WHAT DO YOU THINK I HEARD HIM TELL MY MOTHER - HE SAID HE GUESSED THE REASON I BAWLED SO MUCH WAS HALF MEAN-NESS



HE GETS ME SO SORE - JUST WHEN I NEED FRIENDS - BAW-W-W HOO - BAW-W-W-HOO-S"



THE GUMPS-Z-Z-Z!!!

MOLD STILL MINE - DON'T MOVE - FOR HEAVEN'S SAKE -

WHAT A BUMBLE BEE!

YOW! TAKE IT AWAY

YOW! TAKE IT AWAY

GET HIM AWAY FROM HERE! TAKE IT AWAY!

YOW!

SIDNEY SMITH

Mutt has Unique Success in Getting Out of His Uniform - - - By BUD FISHER.

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JEFF GOT OUT OF HIS UNIFORM YESTERDAY BUT HE WON'T TELL ME HOW HE DID IT. I'D LIKE TO GET OUT OF MINE, TOO!

THAT GUY'S GONNA GET OUT OF HIS UNIFORM. I'LL COLLAR HIM WHEN HE COMES OUT AND FIND OUT A THING OR TWO.

LISTEN! TELL ME HOW I CAN GET OUT OF MY UNIFORM!

IT'S A CINCH IF YOU KNOW HOW. TELL ME A TEN SPOT AND YOU'LL BE OUT OF YOUR UNIFORM BY TONIGHT.

YES, YES GO ON!

THE GUY WAS RIGHT, AT THAT!

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CITY OFFICIALS CLOSE UP SHOP.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)
IMPERIAL, July 31.—August will be vacation month for the Imperial Board of Trustees. The Council closed shop last evening, after going through its weekly routine, and will meet again until the last Wednesday in August.

"There isn't much business to demand our attention," Mayor Waite declared, "and as our salaries only go on when we are present at Council meetings, this vacation will mean a financial saving to the city."

Councilman W. O. Hinderks will leave Sunday for the East to visit relatives; Councilman Allison Peck starts early in the week for San Jose, to spend the month with his son, Glenn Peck; Mayor Charles W. Waite expects to start soon on a motor tour of Southern California; and Councilman J. Roy Adams and John C. Phillips will also be out of the city during some parts of the month. Miss Lella Foster, the City Clerk, is planning to leave for a short vacation after the middle of the month.

BACK FROM FRANCE.

Returned Redlands Soldier Tells of Reconstruction.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)
REDLANDS, July 31.—William C. Kern, popular young mechanic of this city, who was at Colombes-Jules Belles aero squadron field in France for more than a year, returned to his home here today. He says that thousands of airplanes and trucks had to be scrapped at the fields after the armistice was signed, as they were not worth bringing back. He had an opportunity to make a trip over France just before he returned, and says that everywhere reconstruction work is going on. The houses and public buildings that were razed by the shells being rebuilt or torn down and new ones built. He also was told that thousands of American boys buried in small cemeteries are being taken to the three or four big cemeteries for United States soldiers that have been established in France.

WOULD RECALL MAYOR.

Labor Leaders Seek Downfall of Bakersfield Executive.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)
BAKERSFIELD, July 31.—Petitions asking the recall of Mayor J. A. Hinman and Councilman Baughman are being circulated today by members of the Kern County Labor Council. It is charged that both Hinman and Baughman broke faith with the constituents when they discharged W. W. Harris, a labor leader, from the position of City Manager.

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ORGANIZE BANK.

Fullerton to Have New \$50,000 Financial Institution.

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FULLERTON, July 31.—A new bank, capitalized at \$50,000, is the latest addition to the financial institutions of this city. The Masonic Building, at the corner of Spadra and America avenues, was purchased by L. H. Smith of Ontario and associates, three sons and one nephew, who will open a bank as soon as the building can be remodeled, which will not be more than sixty days.

S. W. Smith, the nephew, has been manager for several years of the Capital National Bank of Sacramento. He will be cashier of the new bank and the recognized head of the institution. L. H. Smith has large interests in Ontario, and while he will be president of the new concern, he will not be actively engaged.

JAPS GET VINEYARD.

Purchaser of Big Property Said to Represent Orientals.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)
TULARE, July 31.—The Frank Giannini vineyard and orchard property of more than 1000 acres, which has been in escrow for some time past, is to go under control of Japanese. This was disclosed when the contract for sale of the property was filed for record, showing the proposed transfer of the place to J. E. Gores of Fowler, who agrees to pay \$475,000 for the property. Gores, it is declared here, is under contract to lease the property in charge of a Japanese superintendent and only Japanese help will be employed.

GET PAY RAISE.

Part of Riverside's Employees Receive More Money.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.)
RIVERSIDE, July 31.—Salary increases amounting in the aggregate to nearly \$5000 for the year have been granted the employees of the electric light and water departments by the Board of Public Utilities.

A 10 per cent increase was granted last year. The rate limit fixed by the city charter is such that the City Council can see no way open whereby provision can be made to meet the requested increases. In case the State Board of Equalization grants the request recently made by the Board of Supervisors for an increase in the assessed valuation of the county's property, the Council would find it possible to reduce last year's rate of \$1.48 to nearly half and still meet all salary demands.

PROVIDE LANDING SITE.

RIVERSIDE, July 31.—The free use of the Gage tract of approximately 300 acres has been offered the Mercury Aviation Company of Los Angeles by the Chamber of Commerce, whose directors took action to this end late last night. Considerable interest is being manifested in the plans of the company, which proposes to make trips to Southern California cities under the auspices of the Los Angeles Times.

The site offered was formerly used by the Riverside Aircraft Company, which operated here prior to this country's entrance into the war. The Industrial Committee of the chamber was authorized to look into the matter of securing a permanent municipal aviation landing field.

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ANGELS SKUNK THE BEAVERS

Smash Mac's No-Hit W for Seven Bingles

Grandall Pitches High Article of Ball.

Squeeze Plays Have V up in Air in Sixth.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAM

The free and unfettered admitting another fashionable skunked the Beavers, 5 to 0, second game of the series.

Our scoult and tempera shales do better when allowed to untrammelled. Mash came to put their genius for a ball on the hummer.

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FRIDAY MORNING.

Oh, Mr. Nimrod; Get Wised up on Mr. Buck; Cubs After Boston Braves' Second-Sacker.

GET IT RIGHT; THIS DEER LAW.

Fish, Game Commission Makes Statement of Seasons.

Forked-horn Bucks are Legal Everywhere on "15th."

No Early Dove Shooting Goes Anywhere in State.

Considerable misinformation is being spread about details of the new game laws which have just become effective, but cards showing the seasons correctly are now being distributed by the Los Angeles sporting goods dealers, and their summaries will be about the same as those to be issued by the Fish and Game Commission as soon as the state printer is able to make delivery of these much-demanded documents.

Owing to so many sportsmen not realizing that the deer season was ahead two weeks in the lower counties, announcement was made yesterday by the Fish and Game Commission that deer hunting will become lawful on August 15 in Los Angeles, San Bernardino, Riverside, Orange, Imperial and San Diego counties, as well as everywhere else in the state. Friday, August 1, the deer season opened in the counties up the coast beginning with Ventura, but from August 15 to September 14, inclusive, the noble buck will be lawful game anywhere in California, except in the forbidden game refuge in the forest reserve.

GETS EXTRA DAY.

The deer season in fish and game districts 2 and 3 close September 14, one day before the close in district 4, which was given the extra day because of its having the shortest hunting period of any district. The new "Invo-Mono" hunters' paradise" district numbered 4, will close on October 14, after two months of sport.

It has been years since the lower counties were able to lawfully pursue the elusive buck prior to September 1, but setting ahead the season fifteen days, the Fish and Game Commission has allowed the hunters a chance to kill their two "forked-horns or better" at a time when the venison is best and before the necks of the deer begin to swell with approach of the mating which comes on earlier in the Coast ranges than in the higher interior mountains.

IS CHANGED.

Some confusion has occurred over the shooting of the State law of last year giving the San Joaquin Valley counties August opening. This is all changed now. The Federal territory bird regulations, amended into full constitutionality by the so-called "Treaty Act" with Canada, now include the dove as a migratory bird, and fix a season opening September 1. The California laws were harmonized with the Federal regulations, and as a result there will be no lawful dove shooting in California, or anywhere else, before that matter, until September 1.

Ducks, and quail will come into season together on the 15th day of October, which falls on a Thursday this year.

Winter fishing for steelhead trout will be legal only in tidewater henceforth, the season in the upcoast streams opening December 15, as heretofore, and closing the last day of February, following.

CHANCE FOR SWIMMERS.

The local A.A.U. Swimming Committee of which Les Henry is chairman has made final arrangements for the holding of the Pacific Coast swimming and diving championships with the San Diego Rowing club. These events will be held Sunday, August 31, at Tent City, Coronado. A full list of events will be carded on the 15th day of August, and the winners of the Coast will be on hand to battle for the coveted prizes.

MEET FOR MERMAIDS.

A big open swimming meet for women at Exposition Park will be held during the stay of the fleet in Southern California. The dates set for this meet are August 10, 11 and 12. Les Henry has appointed Dorothy Burns, Aileen Allen and Claire Sullivan Finney to act with him on his committee to put over the first big meet for women ever held in Southern California.

NOW FOR WEEK-END FISHIN' WILL HERZOG GO TO CUBS?

Get out your fishin' tackle folks. Pa's goin' down Sat'day night and over Sunday to do some fishin'. Yes, indeed. "Where to?" you ask me. Goodness, we don't know, any place I 'spose. You don't need to worry, look in The Times and find out. All right. The Old Timer says today that fishin' is good at all the following beaches:

Long wharf—MacKerel is excellent, sea trout and halibut very good. Some tarpon is caught. Shell and hermit in good and the surf is fine.

Malibu—MacKerel, smelt and hermit are good. Halibut, sea trout and surf fishing.

Point Dume—MacKerel and halibut are very good and surf fishing.

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CANINE IS KING TODAY.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

SANTA BARBARA, July 31.—Dogs, large and small, handsome and ugly, fancy and plain, have been pouring in Santa Barbara from all directions, for the show that opens in the Palm King on the Belvedere grounds, this afternoon. According to the rules, all entrants must be benched by 2 o'clock.

According to the catalogue, just off the press, there are in excess of 500 entries, which makes this the largest dog show held in the West in many years. The dogs benched will aggregate 272. As this exceeds the number expected almost 20 per cent., the benching had to be arranged at the last minute, to accommodate all.

At the conclusion of the show, the prize money will be distributed. The prize money will be distributed. The prize money will be distributed.

DOGS ON GROUND.

As now installed, it makes one of the prettiest displays ever held in the history of the game, according to old-timers who have been attending to it in all parts of the country for several decades past. Most of the dogs have been benched on the ground, which is more comfortable for them. The classic palms surrounding the Belvedere King and a cloth shelter over the kennels protect the animals from the sun, while cooling breezes come in from the Pacific, just a block away, all day long.

The judging will begin promptly at 2 p.m., when Mr. J. F. Frothingham, of New York, and now of Los Angeles, will pass on the toy classes. This includes Pomeranians, poodles, Papillons, Japanese spaniels, Brussels griffons, etc. There are more than sixty entries in this class, the exhibitors are women. Friday evening, at 8 o'clock, Mr. Frothingham will judge St. Bernards, Great Danes, Russian wolfhounds, Belgian police dogs and sheepdogs.

JUDGE ON HAND.

C. H. Edmunds of San Francisco.

BASEBALL NOTES.

(Continued from Second Page.)

and will not result in permanent injury, it is said.

Walter McCredie says shortstops are born and not made. Having seen up more sensational shortstops than any minor league manager in the business, Walter should be an authority on the matter. Despite his modesty in saying they are born, Mac must take credit for knowing a real shortstop when he sees one browsing around in the bushes, and also for putting the finishing touches on them.

Red Killefer came away from Sacramento bearing the title of "the greatest man in baseball." Although suffering intensely from a knee swollen to almost double its size, and his leg black and blue, he stuck in the game. It was under such a handicap as this that he won the game Sunday afternoon by scoring three runs. Sliding into third base he also threw his arm out of place at the shoulder. To quote Rube Ellis, "the arm hung like his shoulder had been turned wrong-side-out." Boies twisted the joint back into place, and on the next play Killefer crossed with the winning run. This showed superb spirit, but by continuing to play under these conditions, Killefer took a chance of ruining himself for life.

RUBE ELLIS SAYS THAT KENWORTHY WAS HITTING THE BALL HARD IN SACRAMENTO, BUT THAT HIS DRIVES WERE BEING STOPPED. ELLIS MIGHT HAVE ADDED THAT HIS OWN EXPERIENCE WAS SIMILAR.

The Angels have their campaign mapped out. It isn't very complex. It simply consists of trying to make up their lost ground by winning the present month on the home grounds. They believe that if they get back in front by five or six games they will break even in the remaining road trips, and come back in a position to snare off Vernon the final week of the season. Unless they can make up the lost ground here they realize that their chances will be rather slim. Meanwhile Salt Lake is a specter haunting the lives of Angel and Tiger alike. The Bees may yet split the beam.

Ballplayers are unanimous in their assertion that Seattle is one of the best minor league cities in the country, not excepting San Francisco, which heretofore has topped all others in this respect. Seattle fans deserve to be rewarded with a better team, although they hardly hope for a contender the first year. If the city had a club that even gave promise of leading the second division it would be necessary to enlarge the park. Even with a tall-end club it has been necessary on Sunday to turn large numbers away from the grand stand.

Owners of the New York American apparently haven't relished their hopes for a championship, judging from the price given for Mays. Some doubt, however, whether the Yankees could win pennant with Walter Johnson and Ty Cobb. They seem to be a hoodoo outfit. Killefer rated as a smart manager in St. Louis—almost a marvel. Now some of the critics claim that the "big Yanks" are due to the failure of Hughes to make them play smart baseball. The Yankees have had their share of stars and all sorts of managers, but otherwise the story is without variation.

ACKER APPOINTED AS ASSISTANT COACH.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, July 31.—A. L. Acker has been appointed assistant football coach at Stanford for the coming season. He will assist Coach "Bob" Evans rounding out the second Cardinal American football team in years. Acker made an excellent record in turning out two Kentucky State championship teams and his work at Stanford will consist mainly in coaching the freshmen squad.

A conference between Manager Ames of Stanford and Manager Nicholls of the University of California has been scheduled in San Francisco for tomorrow afternoon. The proceedings of this conference will probably settle finally the date and arrangements for the "big game" between the two colleges.

SHOOT IN AFTERNOON.

The Vernon Gun Club will shoot Sunday afternoon instead of morning, during August and September, feeling that more people will turn out in the p.m. than in the a.m.

The club stages a 100-bird event on August 2, at 2 p.m. Shooting is had at 5-20 events at sliding handicap. Entrance fee is \$1 and \$10 is added to the purse, the money being divided 40-30-20-10 per cent. on 100 birds. William Pugh, secretary of the club, expects a large attendance for next Sunday's shoot.

BUNDY OFF FOR EASTERN COURTS.

Yesterday saw the last of Thomas C. Bundy until he returns from the East with probably the title annexed by himself and Mandy McLoughlin in the national doubles tennis. Bundy left here for Ogden, Utah, where he today will meet his partner and travel onward to Boston for the national tennis matches.

ON AUGUST 13 THIS PAIR OF TENNIS DEMONS WILL START ON THE ROAD TO GRABBING THE AFORESAID TITLE AND WILL THEN TROT BACK WITH A NICE, JUICY LOVING CUP, OR WHATEVER IT IS, TO SHOW FOR THEIR WORK.

The two champs plan to get ten or twelve days of rest stiff practice on turf courts in preparation for the "comeback" after four years' absence from active competition.

NEWPORT BEACH HAS NEW BASEBALL TEAM.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

NEWPORT BEACH, July 31.—Enter the Newport Beach baseball team, open to games on the home grounds after August 1, visiting teams after the summer season is over. The new ball club has been organized by William Parsons and R. M. Durkee, and they believe they will be able to put a crack aggregation into the field, made up of promising young home players, and a few ex-leaguers now living in Newport and vicinity.

A diamond is being fitted up at Newport near the bay. Among players already signed up are the following: Harry Green, H. B. Fleishman, William Parsons, Heath Schmitzer, Fred Tract, John A. Siegel, Harry Jumper, Clem Deakin, Phil Snyder, C. T. Temple, B. D. Shafer, C. C. Palma, and R. M. Durkee.

ROUND TRIP TO SAN DIEGO BY AIR TAXI.

The air taxi service operated by the Mercury Aviation Company was used by Taylor Granville and Miss Laura Pierpont yesterday in making a hurried trip to San Diego to complete arrangements for a theatrical appearance in that city week after next. It was necessary that Mr. Granville go to San Diego this week by train or automobile without missing a performance at the Orpheum. They left De Milie field at 10:15 a.m. and returned at 1:30 p.m. They took their motor car and reached the theater in time for their afternoon performance.

CIVIL SERVICE ROW HITS HARRIS TRIAL.

Service of a notice upon Deputy District Attorney Clark by Secretary Doty of the Civil Service Commission yesterday raised a storm that for a time threatened to halt the progress of the trial of Lewis B. Harris, alleged leader of the Artista bank robbers.

The notice, according to all parties concerned, was that as two years have elapsed since Mr. Clark was given the third-class or higher rating as a deputy, without having been appointed to that position, he will now have to take the examination to have such a rating. Mr. Clark said he would not take the examination.

For a time Mr. Clark was in a quandary and there was a question whether he should continue with the Harris trial under the circumstances. A stormy conference between Mr. Clark and Mr. Doty followed, during which Mr. Clark said he would draw his check today for \$300 for a month's service, an advance on the \$225, or something will happen.

He also said he will take the examination and be rated as a deputy on him to the Committee on Public Offices of the grand jury. He issued a statement that one of the civil service commissioners has personal animus against him and that he had been informed the question as to his standing as a deputy would be raised.

WOULD-BE GYM EXPERTS TO STAGE TRACK MEET.

Prof. Ralph La Porte of the University of Southern California will stage a track meet some day next week in which his pupils taking a course in teaching physical education will participate.

All of the regular events will be put on, and much interest is being taken in them, as many of the would-be physical training experts are of the female persuasion. Quite a number are taking advantage of La Porte's invaluable pedagogy.

CASH ON HAND'S FOUR MILLIONS.

We're Some Gold Left, City Auditor's Check Shows; Loans are Large.

City Auditor Myers's count of the cash in the city treasury, yesterday, showed a total of \$4,130,616.88.

This includes \$475 in gold; \$421,795 in currency; \$22,155.52 in silver, nickels and cents; and \$322,613 in cash items.

The balance is represented in deposits in New York Banks, cashier's checks, loans to banks, bonds and coupons paid and demands paid.

NIMRODS READY FOR SCOURING THE HILLS.

DEAR SEASON OPENS TODAY AND WILL CONTINUE UNTIL SEPTEMBER 14.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

DEL MONTE, July 31.—The deer season opens in this district today and lasts until September 14. Hunters are ready to set forth for the hills to try and bring the two bucks which the law permits to each hunter.

Conditions are said to be favorable for the hunting season in this locality. Up at the Rancho Del Monte, eighteen miles away in the Carmel Valley Hills, game has been reported plentiful. Several of the Hotel Del Monte guests have obtained permits to go to the ranch for the season's opening. Monterey and Pacific Grove hunters are also preparing to get busy with their rifles.

GOOD FOR DOVES.

The dove season opens in all districts of the State on September 1 and lasts until October 31. Monterey county boasts of being one of the best dove hunting sections on the Coast.

The season for quail, cotton tail and brush rabbits opens here, November 15 to January 31. Attention of the hunters is being called to the fact that it is unlawful to shoot any kind of game from a power boat, sail boat, automobile or airplane, or to use a shotgun larger than ten gauge.

TENNIS PLAY SENSATIONAL.

(Continued from First Page.)

Club announced today that the lawn tennis national doubles championship would begin August 11, instead of August 12. The change was explained as bringing the final on Thursday and giving the players a rest before the challenge round on Saturday, when the winners will apply William T. Tilden, Jr. and Vincent Richards, present holders of the national championship in doubles.

KANSAS CITY, July 31.—Miss Corinne Gould of St. Louis won the western tennis championship in the women's singles this afternoon by defeating Miss Margaret Davis, St. Paul, 4-6, 6-0, 6-1.

MORNINGSTAR WINS.

In a 160-points exhibition at 11.3, half line, Ora C. Morningstar defeated James Loveland, 100 to 58 in nine innings. A large audience of billiard lovers witnessed the game and, although it was not as sensational as the last two, it showed very fine points. The high run was 43 against 104 and 217 the previous night.

After the game the former champion gave an exhibition of fancy shots and the audience showed appreciation by warm applause. Morningstar plays again tonight.

BRITAIN FACING NASTY SCANDAL.

Colonel of Air Service is in the Limelight.

Charge He Fraternized with Girl Drivers.

Violet Pennant's Dismissal Starts Regular Row.

(BY CABLE-EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

LONDON, July 31.—The House of Lords, which a few days ago threatened to revolt against government pressure on behalf of Sir Eric Geddes's much questioned ways and communications bill, openly flouted the official attention in regard to what is known as the Douglas Pennant case. The Hon. Violet Douglas Pennant, daughter of Second Baron Penryn, was dismissed from the air service under circumstances which have given rise to considerable agitation on the part of her many friends and supporters. The government has consistently refused an inquiry while promising to grant one if a prima facie case was made out and a motion for inquiry was defeated in the House of Commons. Earl Stanhope brought the matter up in the House of Lords yesterday, and despite the opposition of Lord Wehr and other official speakers, passed a motion to appoint a select committee of inquiry.

Miss Douglas Pennant's friends declare she now has an opportunity to vindicate her character and of proving her dismissal unwarranted. Lord Wehr stated his decision that to dismiss Miss Douglas Pennant was in the best interests of the service. He was completely advised she was not an enrolled member of the Royal Air Force and that he was acting entirely within his rights and her dismissal involved no reflection on her personal character. She was not the right woman, he said, to settle the force on a proper basis.

CLAIM NO REFLECTION.

Lord Peel also declared there was no reflection on the lady's character and opposed the motion, as did the Marquesses of Dufferin and Londonderry who foresaw a whole procession of people with grievances asking for inquiries, but Lord Ampt-hill, Marquis Salisbury and Earl Stanhope, who spoke in its favor, were particularly emphatic. He claimed Miss Douglas Pennant's dismissal was an act of tyrannical bureaucracy. The real reason of the government's refusal said the Earl, was that the government feared scandal. After she would come to light if an inquiry were held. Earl Stanhope did not hesitate to give a sensational house and verse in support of his allegations.

GIRL CHAUFFEURS DRINK.

The colonel of a certain air depot near London gave all-night leave to girl motor drivers who often came back drunk in the government cars at 4 o'clock in the morning. The officer's name was also associated with those of two women officers. Miss Douglas Pennant, hearing of this conduct, removed the two women to two separate camps. After she had reported the matter to the authorities she was dismissed. Meanwhile the colonel, who had not been court-martialed, was placed in a depot where one of the women was. They were discovered together in the same room early one morning. This was the sort of thing.

One of the speakers in the debate calculated the inquiry would cost \$100,000.

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FILM STARS TO PLAY GOLF.

Thirty-eight golfers from Los Angeles' motion picture colony already have entered the Famous Players-Lasky invitation tournament to be held tomorrow afternoon and all day Sunday on the course of the Brentwood Country Club.

Included in the thirty-eight are some of the brightest stars of the silver screen, among them Bryant Washburn and Wallace Reid. Numerous other entries are expected to so that the list will be unusually large.

Eight beautiful trophies are up for competition and will be presented to the winners by dainty Lila Lee, film star, at the conclusion of the tournament. A dance will be enjoyed at the club tomorrow night by those in the tournament. Edmund Mitchell, Jr., is in charge of all arrangements for the tournament.

Following is the entry list to date: Famous Players-Lasky, George Melford, Wallace Reid, W. L. Hall, Edmund Mitchell, Jr., Milton E. Hoffman, James Cruze, Bryant Washburn, Fred Kay, Bert Lytell, Louis McCarthy, William Crothers, Goldwyn, Rex Taylor, L. H. Busell, Victor Schertzinger, Reginald Barker, Johnny MacCall, Lou Tellegen, Tom Moore, Brentwood, L. C. Haynes, A. W. E. Hodges, Earl Leggett, King Vidor, Roy Marshall, H. Morgan, J. W. Hum, J. A. B. Cole, Fairbanks, John Thomas, Metro, W. Elmer Clode, Clara Kimball Young, Nat Dower, Ted Butcher, National, Capt. Ruben, Eddie Flanagan, Nelly Edwards, Willie Selzer, Christie, Scott Dowling, Neal Burns, Jim Harrison, Frank Conklin.

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ENGAGE ROTHWELL

HILHARMONIC DECIDES ON
WHO'S TO WIELD BATON.

By Edwin Schallert.

Definite announcement of the fact that Walter Rorhwell will assume the post of conductor of the new Philharmonic Orchestra was made yesterday from the office of E. B. Rorhwell. It has been known at the former director of Savage Opera productions, St. Paul Symphony and other large organizations, has been the most probable choice. He spent all of last week in the city as guest of the Philharmonic Association, becoming acquainted with the players and their capabilities and going over the

Rothwell left for the East via the Great Northern. He will be the guest of Alfred Hertz and the San Francisco Symphony Association, which is sponsoring his visit. He will appear with the Harmonic Orchestra. Afterward he will travel to Butte, Mont., to assume his duties as music director. Then, when he will go to New York, via Chicago, and arrange for the purchase of new instruments for the orchestra. His theatrical engagements scheduled for New York and Brooklyn next week.

The campaign conducted by Manager Behmer in selecting the new orchestra was a most successful one. His personal acquaintance with Ossip Gabrilowitch, Josef Hoffmann and other famous conductors, and his manager of the Boston Symphony George Engel of the New York Symphony, were of great value. The Indianapolis Orchestra, and many prominent conductors, soloists and instrumentalists, have been given the opportunity of asking their unprompted opinions on various names.

The responses in favor of Rothwell were ten to one," said Mr. Rothwell. "The fine basis of musicianship, his varied career in his country as conductor of the National Orchestra; guest conductor of the Cincinnati and Detroit symphonies and splendid work in the United States and Europe in the past were mentioned in connection with the tributes paid to him by the various musical people of prominence.

"The local musicians who met Mr. Rothwell expressed themselves in the most cordial terms and looked forward to the rehearsals in September, which will, for the first time in the history of the symphony, be in Los Angeles, engage the entire time of the men at salaries

Rothwell is known to this section of the country only through his appearance as conductor of the Savage production of "Madame Butterfly" at the entrance into the American musical world was at the time the Savage produced this opera and "Parafal" in English. His symphony engagements followed. Last year he was guest conductor of the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra. In the past he has been conductor and soloist at his arrival here he would assume the conductorship of the orchestra, as he seemed best fitted for the undertaking.

Nellie Quite at Home.
Nellie V. Nichols, who opens her
Orpheum engagement next
week, has become quite acclimated
Southern California. She has

enjoying a summer rest and vacation with her mother, at their home in Morgan place. Miss Nichols always has belonged more or less to California, and she cannot wait coming back here once every

often to get a breath of the sea breeze from the Pacific. Following her engagement, however, she is to leave for the East, her mother already having gone on to New York.

True Villain, She Thought.
 "That Mean Man McKim" isn't so corrigible after all, it seems, according to the report of an interviewer for a motion picture magazine, who yesterday called upon the

ted "heavy" while at work on "Yesterday," a six-reel master drama being produced independent at Universal City by J. P. and A. McCarthy.

"Where will I find Mr. McKim?" asked the "intervieweuse" of Direct

J. P. McCarthy on her arrival. "Probably out playing marble with the kids," returned McCarthy. "That's where we usually find him when we need him most." So the writer went forth. Soon

an protruding from beneath a
age. Acting on a "hunch," she
called: "Oh, Mr. McKim!"
"Right-o!" came the answer.
Wait 'til I get these little devils
and I'll be with you!"

But "Bob" McKim, who is, as his wife, Dorcas Matthews, will tell you

as gentle as he is pictured to be. The cat, came from under with kitten in each paw. Without heeding his visitor he made sure of a bottle of milk he had cached nearby and poured it into a basin. When the baby cats were feasting, he turned

meet Miss Interviewer, who was heard to gasp: "Oh, these movies!"

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What More Precious.

All that Francis X. Bushman will have left out of his Maryland es-

quors, according to an exclusive dispatch regarding the sale of the green star's personal property at Rush Manor, near Riderwood, Baltimore county, Maryland. The liquor cannot be sold by the Sheriff

w much of a stock Bushman had not made known, but then, we could be interested, for Maryland is a long ways from Hollywood blvd. The only member of the Bushman family present at the sale was young Verly Bushman, eldest son of the

"The sale partook of the spirit of a picnic," says the dispatch. "The spacious lawn was crowded, but there were few theatrical people in the throng."

Although still containing many handsome pieces of furniture and furnishings, the house bore every evidence of the depletion, caused when Bushman had five van loads carried to New York for disposal, prior to his divorced wife's

"Some of the popularity once enjoyed by Bushman and Bayne was recalled when a silver loving cup, inscribed to our queen, Beverly Bayne, from Birdie M. Berger and Joseph N. Seitzick was placed on the table."

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Thousands of Hassayampans Have Jolly Time.

Speaker, in Louding Peace Pact, Urges Ratification.

Booze Banishment Said to Have Worked Wonders.

In spite of the fact that it is a Southern California society, the 3000 members of the Hassayampa Society of Arizona, who gathered at Venice yesterday included many people from the middle and northern parts of the State who came south for the sole purpose of participating in the festivities of the Arizona Southern California.

An address of welcome was made by the president, Mrs. Linda Scott, who spoke from the bandstand. She was followed by Judge John J. Hawkins of Prescott, who spoke of the invigorating helpfulness of people of one State coming together after the trials and separations caused by the war. He urged the people of Arizona and California to force upon their Senators the great necessity of confirming the League of Nations, which he called the greatest thing since the birth of Christ.

Norman Johnson, who spoke next, described the wonderful changes that prohibition had brought in Arizona. He congratulated California on her adoption of prohibition. He said that one of the things that had impressed him most in this State in its beautiful women, and (impressively) its beautiful men.

"If the lovely, dainty, painted-up doll men whom I have seen in

BLIND GOD IS GOING STRONG.

Two Hundred More Licenses to Wed Last Month than in Previous July.

Nearly two hundred more marriage licenses were issued in this county last month than in July, 1918, according to data compiled by R. S. "Cupid" Sparks of the marriage license bureau of the County Clerk's office. The exact figures are \$41 as against 651.

Also, the total number of licenses issued since last January 1 is 5041 as against 4168 during a like period last year, a gain of \$73, or 20 per cent.

California, should walk through the streets of an Arizona town they would be mobbed," he declared.

George W. P. Hunt, ex-Governor of Arizona, at present living in Redondo Beach, declared that Arizona has one of the greatest standards of citizenship in the United States—a citizenship born of great vicissitudes and sacrifice during the days of the struggle to build up that State.

After lunch, which was served on the tables near the water, a special programme was provided by the Venice of America Band, which played some old and new Arizona airs, ringing in some of those of California.

At 3 o'clock a dance for the kiddies of Arizona and Venice took place. From 2 until 7 p.m., half rates to all concessions were granted to people wearing the Arizona airs, ringing in some of those of California.

From 7:30 until 12 p.m. the members of the Hassayampa Society danced at the Venice Pavilion.

HARRIS CAUSES COURT UPROAR.

Battling Like Madman, has to be Forcibly Subdued.

Women Jurors on Verge of Fainting During Mele.

Prisoner Carried from Court Twice by Officers.

Fighting like a madman, Lewis B. Harris, charged with looting the First National Bank and postoffice at Artesia of \$21,000 in Liberty Bonds, stamps and money, March 25, burst all bounds during his trial before Judge Taft, yesterday, and had to be subdued by deputy sheriffs and court attendants.

Dist. Atty. Woolwine later considered the question of causing an inquiry into his sanity, but finally decided against it.

Harris had caused a disturbance, Wednesday, when he interrupted George B. Frampton, president of the bank and Artesia postmaster, while testifying. He was under suspicion of desertion. He was charged with desertion. He was charged with desertion. He was charged with desertion.

The opportunity for the desperate man came soon after the convening of the court for the afternoon session. The witness had identified a handful of .28-caliber revolver shells as having been taken from the left pocket of a pair of pants found in Harris' apartment in Denver, when Harris no longer able to hold his rage, rose in his seat, and shouted, pointing to McCabe, "Show us the note book you have."

"Let there be order in the courtroom, Harris, take your seat," said Judge Taft.

BUDGET'S OVER NINE MILLIONS.

"Dry" Era Hits City Hard; Much Pruning Result.

Dollar Tax Maximum is Too Low, Councilmen Say.

Fire, Police, Health and Other Departments Suffer.

A municipal budget providing for the expenditure of \$9,581,246.25 for the fiscal year of 1919-20 was adopted by the Council, yesterday morning. The appropriation for governmental activities is placed at \$4,837,000, and \$2,744,246.25 will go for interest and sinking funds on the various bond issues.

In submitting its budget and report to the Council, the Budget Committee, composed of Councilmen Conaway, Critwell and Fleming, said:

"Owing to the loss of revenue that will occur through the adoption of prohibition, your committee was obliged to demand severe reductions in the departmental estimates of expenditures. Due to the fact that the tax law of the present state, is insufficient to meet the normal needs of the city, your committee was forced to make deductions from the engineering, police, fire, health, park and playground departments that we do not believe are for the best interests of public service, but were necessary on account of the limit of taxation above referred to."

The total amount deducted from the departmental estimates of expenditure was \$1,445,306.

Salary ordinances for the ensuing year, and a resolution permitting the various departments to expend their annual allowance per month were adopted by the Council.

The next step in the city's financial programme will be the setting of the tax rate. The County Assessor has delivered to the City Auditor the tax roll on all city property, and the latter official is now working out the schedule of the general city tax rate and the special rates for the various districts where special bond issues are being carried.

"AWFUL SIN" IS TWICE DEFINED.

Moral Offense, Charges Wife Seeking Maintenance.

Husband Holds He Meant His Way of Leaving Spouse.

And Counters with Plea for Decree of Divorce.

Intimate letters from man and wife were introduced in evidence yesterday in a contest in Judge Welborn's court over a suit for separate maintenance brought by Mrs. Madeline M. Fisher against Loren G. Fisher. The wife is fighting for custody of her two children and for separate maintenance, adhering to a strong disbelief in divorce. The husband is seeking a divorce on a cross-complaint.

In her complaint, Mrs. Fisher charges her husband with desertion and a statutory offense and names Margaret Phillips as the co-respondent. These charges are denied by the husband in an answer and cross-complaint. He charges cruelty and desertion. He cites as one instance of cruelty an alleged incident when, he says, his wife threw a carving knife at him. On the stand Mrs. Fisher testified that she is against divorce on principle. "What God has joined, let no man put asunder," she said. She said twice her husband confessed infidelity to her and she forgave him. Another time, she said, she offered her \$2000 to get a divorce, saying he wished to marry another woman.

Her attorney introduced a letter written by the husband in which he said, "I feel drawn to you who are suffering from the awful sin and abuse I have heaped upon you. I have awakened to the fact that I have been a fool. I am not fit for anyone to love and drag down the street. I would disgrace the rope."

"Whose fault is it? Mine, and mine alone, a miserable cur of a man whose life is rotten with sin. I wonder what awful punishment God will put upon my soul for these awful deeds of shame? Oh, Madeline, had I only sent a wire for you to come to the lake when my life was about to fall. Just think, a dollar would have saved all this misery."

Under cross-examination, Mr. Fisher said that the "awful sin" he referred to was his manner of leaving his wife.

"You are the father of my babies," was the way Mrs. Fisher answered one of these letters. "We had many happy hours until the devil stepped in and turned everything his way. Only for a season. God will have his way."

The Fishers separated in July, 1917, after several years of married life.

FOUGHT IN FAMOUS BATTLES IN FRANCE.

Lieut. Oliver J. Schleber, son of Mrs. J. A. Schleber, of 1021 West Ninetieth street, returned from France yesterday after a year's foreign service. As commander of Co. C, 101st Infantry, 26th Division, United States Engineers, he saw much active service, particularly in the Meuse-Arnonne offensive.

Lieut. Schleber is a graduate of the University of Southern California and has many friends here. Before entering the army he was an engineer in the United States reclamation service. When war was declared he enlisted and was sent to the engineer officers' training camp at Camp Lee, Virginia.

OLD CITY DETECTIVE DIES AT HOSPITAL.

Frank H. Steele, 78 years of age, of 756 South Boyle avenue, a retired police detective, died yesterday at a private hospital following an illness of several months. Funeral services will be held from the undertaking parlors of Cunningham and O'Connor Saturday afternoon.

Lieut. Steele was appointed a patrolman March 30, 1889. He was promoted to the grade of detective May 1, 1895, and was retired following twenty years' service, April 8, 1909.

INCORPORATIONS.

Sta-Stuk Company; incorporators, Charles H. Gibson, Alden C. Runyon, Albert E. Sanders, Thomas E. Sanders; capital stock, \$20,000. Hawaiian Oil Company; incorporators, Herbert Case, J. S. Munsell, Alfred R. Cushman, W. C. Kimball, H. H. Harnum; capital stock, \$25,000; subscribed, \$50. Louis S. Brown Company, Inc.; incorporators, Louis S. Brown, Edward B. Brown, Hopkin, Ruth Brown; capital stock, \$15,000; subscribed, \$300.

TORRENSLAW CHALLENGED

A judgment challenging the value of Torrens land certificates has just been handed down by Judge Works. The decision is one which will prove of vital interest to holders of Torrens certificates as it will have a far-reaching effect upon lands in this county.

The action arose following the sale of property by C. H. Bogart to Channing Follette, an attorney, with offices in the Security Building. Prior to the sale of the property Mr. Bogart made a deed to the Pacific Light and Power Company, giving the company permission to erect poles and high voltage wires across the land.

A few months after making this deed Mr. Bogart, for several of his neighbors, registered his property under the Torrens system, but made no mention of the power company's interest in the land, except through a notice published in newspapers. The purchaser brought suit against the power company to settle the question of ownership of this part of the land, relying on the Torrens certificate. The court held for the defendant.

Attorney Ray B. Schauer, for the plaintiff, stated that property owners have relied upon the provisions of the law, which do not require a purchaser to examine into the title



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Hart (baritone) Gennett No. 4514
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You.
Have a Smile for Everyone You
Meet.
Sung by Billy De Rex (tenor).
Gennett No. 4523
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on the Farm. (Tenor).
Oh, Don't Where is the King?
(From the Follies). Arthur
Collins (tenor). Gennett No. 4525
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Egan). Vernon Dalhart (tenor).
The Magic of Your Eyes (Pena).
Chas. Hart (tenor).
Gennett No. 4524
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Today Telephone Properties are Returned

After a year of Federal control, the telephone property, which makes up the Bell Telephone System, is today returned to its owners by the United States Government.

While the property has been properly maintained, it is not the same property which the Government took over on August 1, 1918. It is not as adequate for its job or as well manned as it was; that it is not, in no way the fault of Federal control, which was eminently fair. It is due to causes for which neither the Government nor the companies are to blame.

A year ago today we were at war. Labor and materials needed for both telephone operation and construction were turned to military uses. Some materials were so vital to the carrying on of the war that even the work of providing telephone facilities for the Government was retarded and no part of them could be spared for the commercial telephone purposes.

No less vital was the Government need for those skilled to create, maintain and operate the vast intercommunication systems necessary in modern warfare and in the conduct of the vastly increased Government services.

Thousands of telephone men were already at the battle front. Thousands more were under arms, and still telephone experts and skilled operators went into the service of the Government and contributory industries by the tens of thousands.

The reserves of plant and equipment were drawn upon until they were entirely used up, and the experienced staff was gradually depleted. To find others to take the places of those who had gone was difficult; to train them takes time.

During the year came victory and the armistice, and instantly the business world sprang into intense activity. The demands for telephone service passed all former records.

To replace the exhausted reserves which had been carried for just such purposes and to replace the skilled forces to meet this unprecedented emergency there began a rush for construction, for readjustment, for high pressure repairs, for feverish extensions. All these must be continued with increasing effort.

The return of the property comes in the very midst of this race between an overpowering demand, and an upbuilding of a system whose growth was held back and whose forces were scattered by the vital needs of war.

Much progress has been made in the upbuilding of this system, but far more is still required to meet the swift growth of business; and also to give "first aid" to every other business and every other service struggling against an unprecedented demand.


The prosperity, which creates this emergency in service creates also a scarcity of those desiring employment in the service.

Under such conditions telephone service generally has not been and could not be up to the pre-war standard. It is beyond human power to immediately overcome the handicap which the situation imposes.

There are no people in any public or private endeavor who are working more tirelessly or strenuously for the common good than those of the telephone companies. Service has always been given, more of it must be given and it must be improved. That improvement in some cases will take months. Eventually service must win the race with demand.

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(BY A. P. NIGHT WORK)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The least damage possible to the reputation of the Mexican Revolution, the Senate is informed today by William C. Carranza, American Ambassador, that Carranza was "able" and added that the American had not obtained the Mexican situation to the detriment of the United States.

"If we had had a Morgan Whitlock or a Hoover," declared Carranza, "the German Von Eckhardt would have been in the war of the Allies."

Two hundred and 217 AMERICANS KILLED
Two hundred and 217 AMERICANS KILLED in Mexico since the outbreak of the revolution, according to a report by Secretary Lansing in a resolution by Senator King, Utah. Carranza has been cited by the Senate for causing the time have totaled 217.

Regarding a request in the Senate regarding the Mexican situation, Carranza has been cited by the Senate for causing the time have totaled 217.

Accompanying Mr. Lansing was a table compiled by the Department showing the number of Americans killed in Mexico since the outbreak of the revolution. Carranza has been cited by the Senate for causing the time have totaled 217.

OPEN-DOOR POLICY
(BY A. P. DAY WORK)
MEXICO CITY, Aug. 1.—Will not open the door to all countries who can show they possess wholesome citizenship and will not provide for the economic development of the country. Carranza has been cited by the Senate for causing the time have totaled 217.

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THE DAY'S NEWS

THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 25 mph. Velocity, 9 mph. Temperature, 77 degrees. 60 deg. Forecast: For Los Angeles and vicinity: Saturday, fair. Sunday, cloudy or foggy in the morning. Gentle west wind.

For complete weather data last page of this section.

THE CITY. Complete list of arrivals of the war vessels. Will arrive at the harbor next Friday.

Chiefs of the United States Customs, of Commerce, the world's business promotion body, tried to make a three-day stop at the Southern.

Two young desperadoes, captured by a patrolman, confessed to a series of crimes.

Superior Court Judge indicated today that the Gaudin case, a dispute over a license to operate a gambling establishment, would be decided by a jury.

New shakeup is expected in the police department following the appointment of an entirely new Civil Service Commission.

First sale of food which the Government will begin Tuesday at the center.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Employees at Pasadena threatened strike unless wages are immediately raised.

Long Beach prepares elaborate program for entertainment of the officers of Pacific fleet.

Deported man at Pomona court by appearing on a ship with full beard and feminine attire.

Noted scientist comes to the